

## BELIEVE FRUIT HAS ESCAPED COLD DAMAGE

Although the mercury dipped slightly below the freezing point again Tuesday night, fruitmen believed today they have escaped without serious damage so far in the "April freeze."

Some slight damage to early fruits in low sections was reported Sunday when the temperature dropped to 27 degrees at Arendtsville early in the morning. Monday's low was 34 degrees and Tuesday's, 35 degrees. This morning Arendtsville weather station reported a minimum of 31 degrees but members of the staff said they doubt that any damage has yet been suffered by the major fruit crops.

One plum orchard was found with 75 per cent loss from freezing, presumably caused by the five-below-freezing temperature on Sunday morning.

### Delaying Blossoms

Peach blossoms are approaching the peak of their bloom but may be expected to withstand temperatures as much as 15 degrees below freezing without critical losses. Cherry orchards, fruitmen said, are in a stage where temperatures as little as five degrees below freezing can be serious.

The 20-degree mark was generally settled upon by fruitmen as the minimum temperature the hardy varieties of apples can take without serious loss. Smokehouse, Delicious and Rambo varieties, however, are so far advanced that less severe temperatures would cause damage to their buds.

One satisfactory effect of the current cool weather is the delay it is causing in the opening of the apple blossoms which at one time earlier in the spring were described as being a full month ahead of schedule. Ten days ago it looked as though the peak of the apple bloom would be reached this week-end but growers now expect the fullest bloom about Easter time.

## ARRANGE HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Beginning with services on Palm Sunday, a series of special Holy Week services will be held at Zion Lutheran church, Fairfield, the Rev. Dr. Norman S. Wolf, pastor, has announced.

"King by Divine Right" will be the subject of the sermon next Sunday morning. New members will be received including the following of the catechetical class: Robert S. Elker, George E. Musselman, Richard E. Dolly and Lloyd G. Myers. Baptism of children will take place at 3 p. m.

Holy Week services will be held each evening at 8 o'clock. Sermon subjects for each evening follow: Monday, "Facing His Poes;" Tuesday, "Arch Conspirators;" Wednesday, "Judas, the Betrayer;" Thursday, community union worship service with sermon, "Jesus Among His Friends," by the Rev. George S. Stoneback, with the Rev. John Ehrhart assisting; Friday, preparatory service with sermon, "It is Finished."

Communion will be held Easter Sunday morning with "The Empty Tomb" as the theme for the meditation. Altar vases, presented by the children of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sanders, will be consecrated at the service.

## BULLETINS

Washington, April 10 (AP)—The Senate Banking committee voted 14 to 5 today to send the proposed \$3,750,000,000 British loan to the floor for debate.

The action was announced by Senator Barkley (D-Ky.) after a closed meeting. Barkley predicted the Senate would pass the proposed credit "by a substantial majority."

New York, April 10 (AP)—United Nations delegation officials today forecast almost certain defeat for Russia's proposal that the Security Council throw out the Iranian case, although a rough debate appeared in store with the United States and Britain opposing the Soviet Union.

Pittsburgh, April 10 (AP)—Chief Deputy Sheriff Louis M. Foster declared today that state police and deputy sheriffs will remain at the East Pittsburgh plant of the Westinghouse Electric corporation as long as a court order banning mass picketing is in effect—regardless of a truce between striking CIO-United Electrical workers and "white collar" workers.

Nuernberg, Germany, April 10 (AP)—The Russian prosecution introduced documentary evidence today indicating that 500,000 Soviet prisoners died in German custody in the last four months of 1941 and (Please Turn to Page 2)

## Two High Street Teachers Resign

Resignations of two public school teachers were accepted by the Gettysburg school board at its meeting Tuesday evening at the high school.

Miss Marion J. Biggs, Ortanna, first grade teacher at the High Street school, submitted her resignation to take effect April 17. In her resignation she said she was resigning to be married. Miss Biggs is completing her ninth year as teacher here.

Miss Lona Black, Shippensburg, third grade teacher in the High Street school in her resignation said she was expecting to be married. Hers will not take effect until the end of the school year. She has been a teacher in Gettysburg for six and a half years. The board did not fill the vacancies.

## SOROPTIMISTS DONATE \$5 FOR SUMMER PLAY

The Soroptimist club voted \$5 to the Gettysburg Recreation board and expressed approval of the program at their meeting Tuesday evening in the Hotel Eberhart. Club directors met prior to the business session.

Mrs. Guyon E. Buehler, president, presided at the club session. Miss Kathryn Oiler, Adams county librarian, discussed the pending public library demonstration bill and the club authorized Mrs. Nevin Grieb, corresponding secretary, to write Senator Joseph F. Guffey and Congressman Chester H. Gross, urging their support of the measure.

### To Present Award

The club made plans to present the annual Helen L. Cope award to the four-year high school girl who is rated by the faculty as the best all-around girl excelling in English.

Mrs. Frederic E. Griest, Post-War chairman, reported that 12 overseas bundles of necessities had been sent by members to Dr. Suzanne Noel, Paris, France, for distribution where needed most.

The club accepted an invitation from the Lions club to a dinner meeting April 22. An invitation was also received from the Business and Professional Women's club to join their civic tour Thursday evening leaving the Y.W. at 7:15 p. m., to visit the Gettysburg Throwing company and the Adams County Novelty company. Mrs. Griest reported that four members attended the installation of the new Lancaster club when a gavel was presented.

Mrs. Buehler reported that five members attended the birthday dinner of the Hanover club. On the occasion of the birthday today of Miss Margaret McMillan, Red Cross worker, the club voted to send to her greetings as well as their appreciation of the years she has given to civic work.

### Mrs. Bender Speaks

Mrs. J. Milton Bender spoke on her classification as co-owner of the Bender Funeral home. She explained the set-up of the home and the use of the various rooms, stating that while they had a modern establishment, it was their aim at all times to keep it simple and homelike in order to best serve the people of the community.

In response to questions Mrs. Bender stated that the busiest season of the year for morticians was from December to March.

The talk next month will be given by Mrs. E. Mae Beales, owner of the Peoples Drug store. Mrs. Elizabeth Hennig won the monthly gift drawing.

## Presbyterians Will Go To Mission Meet

Representatives of the Presbyterian churches of the county will go to Harrisburg Friday for the twenty-third annual assembly of the Women's Missionary society of the Carlisle Presbytery to be held in the Pine Street Presbyterian church there. Morning, afternoon and evening sessions will be held. "The Work of Righteousness Shall Be Peace" will be the theme for the assembly.

An informal prayer service will open the sessions at 9:30 a. m. The speaker for foreign missions will be Miss Margaret Flory, secretary for the eastern area of the United States and a candidate for missionary service to students in China, and the national missions speaker will be Miss Jessie Fremont Clark, former member of the teaching staff at Ganado mission in Arizona.

There will be a box luncheon at noon and the evening meal will be served at the church.

### SELLS FARM

Hlot C. Snyder and Annie B. Snyder, of Littlestown R. 2, have sold their 94-acre dairy farm in Mt. Pleasant township to N. Gerry Wright and Olive A. Wright of Takoma Park, Md. Possession will be given by May 1. Sale was made through John C. Bream.

## DR. KEEFAUVER REELECTED AND GIVEN INCREASE

The Gettysburg school board, meeting at the high school Tuesday evening, re-elected Dr. Lloyd C. Keefauver superintendent of schools, boosted his salary from \$4,000 to \$4,500 a year, and adopted a tentative budget granting 10 per cent salary increases to teachers. The budget will be finally adopted at the May meeting. It fixes a tentative millage rate of 22 mills.

Dr. Keefauver has been superintendent since 1926. His re-election for another four-year term was



DR. KEEFAUVER

without opposition, and was unanimous. The new school year will begin July 1.

The current tax is based on a valuation of \$2,900,000 at 22 mills, or a total of \$638,000, from which must be deducted \$1,148 in consideration of the new tax law which rebates for prompt payment at the rate of two per cent. Dr. Keefauver said, in explaining the budget, "On the basis of past experience, approximately 90 per cent of the tax payments are made within the abatement period," he added. "A further deduction of \$2,652 is made for delinquents."

### Proposed Expenses

A summary of proposed expenditures for the next school year, July 1, 1946 to July 7, 1947, shows a total of \$151,149, as compared with actual expenditures in 1944-1945 of \$119,476.57 and near-actual expenditures in 1945-46 of \$119,476.57.

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## CHANGE SET-UP ON ATHLETICS

The Gettysburg school board Tuesday evening adopted an athletic program including the Lincoln school, which proposes to divide the schools into junior and senior high school groups for athletic competition purposes and voted to give the Lincoln school representation on the athletic council. The seventh, eighth and ninth grades will comprise the junior division and the tenth, eleventh and twelfth grades the senior group.

The board authorized an expenditure for materials to construct exercise bars on the school playground, recommended by George Forney, head athletic instructor, the materials to be second-hand pipe, and the work to be done by the farm shop school.

Progress was reported by Ralph Z. Oyler, chairman of the property committee and George Raffensperger, on removal of a stump in front of the High Street school which juts into the gutter and repair of the curbing. Mr. Oyler also reported that a new battery charger had been ordered for the emergency lighting system.

## School Directors Get Finance Report

A balance of \$37,263.62 in the general fund and \$3,303.15 in the sinking fund as of April 6, was shown in the monthly report of the treasurer submitted to the meeting of the Gettysburg school board Tuesday evening. Receipts, including a balance on March 9 of \$29,507.51, were shown as \$47,020.30, and expenditures \$9,756.68. Among receipts was \$14,409, in state appropriation money and \$2,564.24 in tuition.

The cafeteria report showed a profit for March of \$63.07. There was a balance of \$581.62 on February 28, and receipts, including this balance, were \$1,281.41. Expenditures, including \$105.40 for salaries and services, \$462.97 for provisions and \$14.90 for maintenance, totaled \$583.27.

### SOLDIER PROMOTED

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hartman, Mummaburg, have received word their son, James, has been promoted to sergeant. Sgt. Hartman is a member of a medical outfit and is stationed in Germany.

## Five Major Industries And Schools Adopt Daylight Time

The five leading industrial plants of Gettysburg will operate on Daylight Saving Time beginning Monday morning, April 29, and continuing through September.

M. C. Jones announced this morning that the Gettysburg Furniture factory, the Reaser Furniture factory and the Gettysburg Panel Company would operate on Daylight Saving Time beginning April 29.

Robert E. Berkheimer announced that the Gettysburg Throwing Company would operate on the new time effective the same date.

Roy P. Funkhouser announced that the Victor Products Corporation would also operate on Daylight Saving Time this summer, the effective dates being the same as the above mentioned firms.

Early this afternoon Dr. Lloyd C. Keefauver, superintendent of the Gettysburg public schools and Rev. Fr. Mark E. Stock, spiritual director of St. Francis Xavier's parochial school, announced that the schools would operate on Daylight Saving Time beginning April 29 and continuing through September.

## RED CROSS FUND EXPECTED TO TOP \$15,000 MARK

With Fairfield district residents turning in a total of \$650.94 today the Adams county Red Cross annual drive went over the top by nearly \$400. Total contributions, at noon today were listed as \$14,531.57. The quota for the drive was \$14,050.

The county will go beyond the \$15,000 mark when all donations are turned in. It was stated today, East Berlin is scheduled to turn in between \$500 and \$600 as soon as final collections are made there. Officials of the drive in East Berlin have notified the county office that more than \$500 is already in hand there and that the final report is being delayed to allow solicitors to complete collections. Littlestown drive heads today phoned the county office to report contributions of \$135 additional have been received there.

The \$650.94 turned in by Chairman S. L. Allison for the Fairfield district brings to \$734.19 the amount collected in that area, the county office said.

### Additional Donors

Among the larger donors announced today were the Fairfield Shoe company, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roth and Howard Musselman, all of Fairfield, all of whom gave \$25 donations.

Most of the donors announced today were from Fairfield and New Oxford. David Winebrenner, III, Mrs. David Winebrenner and the New Oxford Farmers and Merchants Bank each gave \$15.

Ten dollar donations were listed from William Stock, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Bair, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Flaherty, John Biesecker, Dr. Ira M. Henderson, L. E. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Catter, Mr. and Mrs. John Knorr, Business and Professional Women's club.

## State Approves Hospital Payment

Auditor General G. Harold Warner has approved payment of \$1,388.16 to the Annie M. Warner hospital for the quarter ending February 28, 1946, from appropriations authorized by the legislature for the support of state-aided institutions. The payment is based upon the number of patients receiving free treatment, and general maintenance costs.

## Lewis And Committee Bolt Soft Coal Strike Meeting

Washington, April 10 (AP)—John L. Lewis and a United Mine Workers committee walked out on wage negotiations with soft coal operators today and threatened to stay out until the producers agree to discuss a welfare fund and improved safety conditions.

The UMW president has put the fund and safety conditions at the top of the nine demands he has made in negotiations on a new contract to end the 10-day-old shutdown in the soft coal pits.

K. C. Adams, editor of the United Mine Workers Journal and union spokesman, told newsmen the UMW delegation found it "useless and hopeless" to continue negotiations under present conditions.

There was no immediate comment from the operators, who remained in the conference room.

Adams added in a statement that the operators had blocked the miners' attempt to report disagreement to the full joint conference. The statement continued:

## Tried In Vain To Evade Woman's Car

Florence G. Rummel, 30, McKnightstown, will be charged before Justice of the Peace William Dentler, Cashtown, with making a pass in the face of oncoming traffic as a result of a two-car collision at 10:40 o'clock this morning, according to state police who investigated.

The officers said that Miss Rummel attempted to pass a truck while driving east on the Lincoln highway 2½ miles west of Gettysburg this morning while going up a hill. C. H. Jester, Perona, Pa. driver of the other car involved in the accident, was driving west. According to police Jester stopped and attempted to back off the highway to avoid being hit by the Rummel car but was unsuccessful. Damage totaled \$30.

## Three-County Group Selects Officers

Harvey D. Lynerd and Raymond Lightner, Hanover, were elected second vice president and assistant secretary, respectively, of the York-Adams-Carroll Past Commanders' association of the Ancient Order Knights of the Mystic Chain, at a meeting of the association in the lodge hall of Constantine Castle, No. 142, Hanover, Monday.

Other officers chosen at the meeting are: President, Lester C. Spangler, York; vice president, George Spangler, York; third vice president, Raymond Spangler, Littlestown, and secretary, F. M. Spangler, York.

Principal speaker at the meeting was Claude O. Meckley, Hanover, postmaster, who used as his topic, "Helping To Make Other People Happy." Prayer was offered by C. A. Leese, York. There was a large attendance at the session. Following the meeting refreshments were served.

## Two Face Code Violation Charges

The local sub-station of the state police today announced two motor violation charges that have been laid by members of the detachment.

Woodrow Stambaugh, Spring Grove R. 2, will receive a 10-day notice from Justice of the Peace Gerald Orndorff on a charge of speeding on the Lincoln highway at 60 miles per hour.

Robert A. Schweizer, 17, 56 East Middle street, will be brought before Juvenile court on a charge of failing to stop at a stop sign.

## SYNOD MISSION GROUP MEETING IN ARENDTSTVILLE

Mrs. Frank Ziegler, Hanover, was re-elected president of the Missionary Conference of the Adams District of the Central Pennsylvania Synod of the Lutheran church Tuesday evening at the annual meeting of the organization held in Trinity Lutheran church, Arendtsville.

Miss Jean Thomas, Biglerville, was re-named vice president; Mrs. David Kammerer, Littlestown, secretary; Mrs. Luther Lady, Arendtsville, treasurer and Miss Mildred Coshun, Gettysburg, Young Women's secretary.

Approximately 250 women from all Lutheran churches in Adams county and from the Hanover Lutheran churches attended the sessions which began at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the church.

### Brings Greetings

Mrs. H. W. Stenat, Biglerville, was in charge of the devotional service which opened the afternoon's program. Mrs. George H. Berkheimer, Arendtsville, gave the greetings and Mrs. H. H. Beideman, Hanover, made the response.

Following the re-election of all officers for a second term, Mrs. William H. Menges, Menges Mill, president of the Central Pennsylvania Synod Missionary conference, brought greetings.

Mrs. M. U. Bream presented the report of the Life and In-Memoriam department and Mrs. Richard Slaybaugh presented a vocal solo. The program of Lutheran World Action to bring relief to displaced persons and other war-sufferers throughout the world was outlined by Miss Ruth Juran, Philadelphia, secretary for promotion for the United Lutheran church. She also displayed a large number of books and other promotional equipment produced by the church.

Following supper at the high school an evening session was held at the Lutheran church. The Rev. George Berkheimer, pastor of the church and former army chaplain spoke on "Peace Within Ourselves and Throughout the World," the theme of the convention.

Declaring that "In Australia, the Philippines and in the smaller islands of the Pacific I met natives whose Christianity puts the rest of us to shame," the Rev. Mr. Berkheimer urged the group to be missionaries to themselves first and then to help the entire world in brotherhood.

Mrs. A. R. Wentz led the devotional service at the evening session. The Junior and Senior choirs of the Trinity church sang as an anthem, "King of Kings." Reports of commendations, installation of officers by Mrs. Harvey D. Hoover, Gettysburg, benediction and postlude concluded the service.

## ORCHESTRA AT GRADE SCHOOL GIVES PROGRAM

The Lincoln school orchestra, under the direction of Prof. Richard B. Shade, music supervisor, presented a program at the school Tuesday afternoon.

Included on the program were the following numbers: "The Monitors March," by Grant Wellesley, by the orchestra; "America," by the entire assembly accompanied by the orchestra; "Honor Guard March," J. S. Zamecnik, orchestra; violin duet, "Lullaby," Aileen Bennett, played by Nancy Britcher and Doris Moser; piano duet, "Flying Doves Galop," Carl Heins, played by Robert Sachs and Sidney Shade; clarinet quartet, "Lullaby," a Scotch folk song, Richard Hay, Mildred Stover, Nancy Teeter, Jack Augustine.

Saxophone and alto horn duet, "The Blue Bells of Scotland," played by Jay Crouse and Ross Crouse; "Moonlight Beach Waltz," by J. S. Zamecnik, orchestra; violin duet, "On Wings of Song," Mendelssohn, and "Pizzicato," Tours, played by Jean Mountain and Donald Elliott; trumpet solo, "The Dancer," by R. M. Endresen, played by Jack Bream; "Knockin' On De Door," by J. S. Zamecnik, orchestra.

Clarinet solo, "Step Lively March," by A. F. Wendland, played by Sidney Shade; trumpet ensemble, chorales, "When Jesus Our Lord," Handel; "Behold Our Faith Divine," Praetorius; "Exalted Lord," Palestrina, played by Kenneth Deardorff, Theodore Hay, James Bracey, Dwight Putman, Donald Menges, Carolyn Fulton, Jack Bream and Alfred Levan; boys' choir, "The Spanish Guitar," a student song, and "Liza Jane," an old southern song, with Miss Dorothy Boyer, accompanist; "Apache Braves," Robert L. Creighton, orchestra; "There Are Many Plagues in Many Lands," sung by the assembly with accompaniment by the orchestra.

## Hospital Auxiliary Seeks New Members

The annual spring membership campaign of the Warner hospital auxiliary is getting underway under the leadership of Mrs. S. Richard Eisenhart, chairman of the membership committee, and Mrs. C. H. Hett, co-chairman.

The committee with its staff of key women in the churches of the community hopes to exceed the 485 membership total attained during the past year when a new high enrollment was reached.

The following will accept 1946 dues from Auxiliary members and will enroll new members: Presbyterian church, Mrs. Walter Africa and Mrs. Edmund W. Thomas; Episcopal, Mrs. S. B. Johnston; Catholic, Mrs. George F. Eberhart; Reformed, Mrs. Charles Ogden and Mrs. Charles Weaver; Methodist, Mrs. Fred G. Pfeffer and Mrs. Robert Berkheimer; United Brethren, Miss Carrie Miller; St. James Lutheran, Mrs. E. H. Markley and Mrs. Eisenhart, and College Lutheran, Mrs. Marie Ziegler and Mrs. Harry F. Baughman.

## LITTLESTOWN'S ROTES HEAR OF BOY SCOUT HIKE

Reports on the activities of the Boy Scouts, and on several articles in "The Rotarian," were given at the weekly meeting of the Littlestown Rotary club Tuesday night, in Schottie's restaurant.

Thomas C. McSherry discussed E. Leslie Pidgeon, fifth president of Rotary Internationale, and the first president outside of the United States. Mr. Pidgeon was pastor of the strongest Protestant church in Canada, and was active in the church consolidation movement. E. W. Dunbar, Littlestown, knew him personally. The second report was given by Harrison Snyder on "The Farmer Meets the Townsman." He explained the reason for the government milk subsidy. Mr. Dunbar spoke on "Atlantic City South," where the Rotary convention will be held June 2-7. He also discussed the talk of Secretary of Agriculture Anderson given Monday to the Rotary club of Baltimore. The secretary suggested that each American save a slice of bread a day to help relieve the European food situation.

### Tells Of Hike

Luther D. Snyder gave an interesting account of the Boy Scout hike over the week-end. Thirty-eight boys, with their leaders and members of the troop committee enjoyed a two-day hike over the Appalachian trail.

The group left Littlestown Saturday morning at 6:15 o'clock in cars of Charles Ritter, Wilbur A. Bankert, Chester Byers, Stanley B. Stover, Leonard Kerchner and Cloy I. Crouse, the latter car being driven by Preston Brown. They were taken as far as Smithsburg, Md., from where the boys started their hike about 8:15 o'clock. They hiked between 12 and 13 miles, arriving within several miles of Boonsboro, Md., where they stopped for the night. The boys pitched their tents, after which the evening meal was prepared. Sunday morning they broke camp and started their hike about 7:45 o'clock. Enroute, a religious service was conducted. A hymn sing was conducted after which Edgar Wolfe, a member of the troop committee, read the scripture lesson, and Alton Bowers, troop leader, taught the Sunday school lesson. Following this, they proceeded on their journey, hiking to within about three miles of Harpers Ferry, arriving at that point at 3:15 p. m. They were then taken into Harpers Ferry by bus.

All along the trail the boys visited points of interest which were explained to them by their leaders. Some of them were the Big Fire Tower, known as "Land's Knoll," the first monument erected to the memory of George Washington, located near Boonsboro, Md., and a memorial to Alfred Tennyson, a war correspondent during the Civil war, who later became a famous writer using a nom-de-plume. They also visited points of interest in Harpers Ferry.

### Visit Deserted Village

A point of interest visited was Gapland, near Middletown, which was bought after the Civil war for half a million dollars, but has since been deserted.

The scouts were returned to their homes in a bus of the Lincoln Bus lines, owned by Lester Frock. Paul Hiltner took the tents and the provisions for the party in the truck of the Littlestown Hardware and (Please Turn to Page 8)

### NOW AT BETHESDA

John Allen Sheffer, HA 1/c, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Sheffer, Sheffer's park, Biglerville road, is now stationed with the hospital corps at Bethesda, Md.

## SCHOOL BOARD IS REPRESENTED ON YOUTH GROUP

At the request of Dr. Dwight F. Putman and Mrs. Lester Scott, representing the Gettysburg Youth Council, Charles S. Black, president of the Gettysburg school board Monday evening named Directors Charles M. Sheely and Charles B. Bender as board members of a committee which will study plans for enlarging the scope of youth activities here and discuss a permanent program of financing.

Dr. Putman and Mrs. Scott appeared at the meeting of the board Tuesday night at the high school, to outline purposes of the committee's formation, and pointed out that borough council has already met the request of the youth council with the appointment of two of its members to the committee.

### Need for Quick Action

Dr. Putman said the committee, composed of council and school board representing the youth group and leading citizens, would meet to study the situation here, visit other communities and consult state and national programs in an effort to see how the youth problem can be best handled in Gettysburg.

Mrs. Scott said there was urgent need that the committee work as hard and as fast as it can. She said the youth council would be forced to vacate the building where the Teen Canteen is now located soon. She cited figures to show that interest in and attendance at the canteen is growing. More than 100 attended a dance there Saturday night, she said.

Dr. Putman said the proposed program would not be limited to dancing and ping-pong, but ought to be broadened and unified, and that the committee was looking ahead to placing the youth program on a permanent basis in the "not-too-far-distant future," through some general means of taxation. Funds have already been assured for continuing the work for the next several months, however, he said.

## EXPECT 'BREAK' IN KENNEDY CASE

Hagerstown, Md., April 10 (AP)—An early "break" in the investigation of the slaying of 19-year-old Betty Jane Kennedy was predicted today by Capt. Walter H. Peters, of the Hagerstown police.

Peters made the statement in commenting that some persons questioned in the strangulating death of the young Hagerstown woman had changed their statements since a lie detector was put into use.

Those questioned in the case have included a Hagerstown taxi driver. Peters said that several residents reported seeing the taxi driver with the young woman last Wednesday night but that the man, himself, said he was working that night. No charges have been filed against him.

Miss Kennedy's nude body was found last Thursday morning in a clump of bushes near Waynesboro, Pa., close to the Pennsylvania-Maryland state line. She had been strangled and her neck broken.

Meantime, Detective Sergeant Carl Hartman, of the Pennsylvania state police, said he believed a soldier stationed at Washington, D. C., had nothing to do with the killing. Hartman went to Washington yesterday to question the soldier, who was reported to have been at his home in the Hagerstown area last week. His name was not disclosed.

## Dr. Knox Resumes Practice Thursday

## FRANCE TAKES BOLD STEP TO CLEANSE NATION

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

(AP Foreign Affairs Analyst)  
The French Constituent Assembly has made the sensational move of approving a bill for the suppression of prostitution in metropolitan France, thus striking a heavy blow at one of the forces most destructive to the moral fibre of chaotic Europe. The Old World is experiencing a plague of sexual immorality and its attendant disease which far exceeds anything it ever has known before.

Immorality is a by-product of every war, but the Hitlerian conflict differed from others in that the evil Nazi teachings encouraged it both at home and abroad. The Nazi Fuehrer taught German girls that it was a patriotic duty to the fatherland to have illegitimate children to provide more soldiers. And in some conquered countries the Nazis conducted a regular campaign of interbreeding, so as to introduce German blood.

**Teens Join Ranks**  
It was all as coldly calculated as that. And naturally when such a code has been accepted, outright prostitution becomes easy for dulled consciences. Thus we find that large sections of the populations in many parts of Europe have abandoned restraint and that even young girls who haven't yet reached their teens have joined the ranks of the professional.

France is one of the first countries to take constructive action to deal with this evil. The move is all the more striking in that legalized houses of prostitution have been permitted since 1877 and there are now some 3,000 in operation, doing a business which runs into millions. Paris alone has 6,000 registered prostitutes, who have been responsible for increasing venereal disease.

The new law not only contemplates the closing of all houses of ill repute within six months, but campaigns against white slavery and venereal disease are to be inaugurated. Measures also are to be taken for the reeducation and rehabilitation of prostitutes. In order to make a clean sweep the law provides heavy penalties for cafe and hotel proprietors who allow their premises to be used by prostitutes.

**Brave Beginning**  
France has made a wise and timely move, but there are many other countries which will have to follow suit, and quickly, if Europe is to be saved from a lot worse than that with which she already is afflicted. The moral decay has struck deep. I have seen crowds of girls in their early teens soliciting on the streets of a great and normally upright city of the war theatre. The older people of that city have been immeasurably shocked and worried—but they haven't known how to deal with the problem so long as the place was filled with soldiers. Of course you can't stop such immorality by legislation alone, for moral standards must be restored. Still, France has made a brave beginning and set an excellent example to other countries.

## Acknowledges Gifts To County Library

Miss Kathryn Oller, county librarian, announced today an additional list of individuals and organizations that have contributed books and magazines to the library recently.

The list includes the following who gave books: Miss Anna M. Black, Dr. R. A. Bream, Mrs. G. M. Glenn, Mrs. Elizabeth Holtzworth, Mrs. C. H. Heldt, Paul A. Kinsey, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knickerbocker, Mrs. Margaret Knox, Mrs. E. S. Lewars, Mrs. Edgar Miller, Howard Y. Musselman, Col. John S. Rice, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rider, Mrs. Rudolph Rosenstengel, Mrs. H. Milton Roth, Dr. R. S. Saby, Mrs. Henry Scharf, Mrs. Eva Smith, Mrs. E. F. Strausbaugh, Miss Irene Wolf, St. Francis Xavier Mothers' club, and the Rev. A. W. Geigley.

The following gave magazines or magazine subscriptions: Ralph Blocher, Mrs. Frank Clutz, Mrs. William C. Fishburn, Dr. Roy W. Gifford, Mr. and Mrs. C. Arthur Griest, Stanley E. Krichen, Miss Alma Miller, the Gettysburg Rotary club, Miss Maud Whaley, the Rev. Mr. Geigley and Mrs. Elia Peters.

Frank Overdeer made a cash donation and The Gettysburg Times contributed a number of publications for the Adams county section of the library.

## HOSPITAL REPORT

Mrs. Paul Dugan, Biglerville, and Walter Shouli, a student at Mt. St. Mary's college, have been admitted as patients to the Warner hospital. Those discharged were Mrs. Howell Royer, Taneytown; Howard Dettler, Benderville; Mrs. Gerald Bowers, Punksdown, Md.; Mrs. Charles Mordorf and infant daughter, Gertie Lee, Charmian; Randolph Eyer, Baltimore, and Mrs. Harvey Miller, Biglerville R. 2.

## State Police Say:

Bicycle riders must obey traffic laws. Learn and assume your obligations and responsibility relating to traffic regulation.

THE MOTORIST IS NOT ALWAYS WRONG

## Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

### SERVICE GUILD INSTALLS OFFICERS

Officers and leaders of the Women's Service Guild of the Presbyterian church were installed Tuesday evening following a covered dinner for members of the Guild in the social rooms of the church. The installation was conducted by Mrs. Walter H. Danforth.

This group of officers was inducted: President, Mrs. Harold J. Pegg; first vice president, Mrs. E. Donald Scott; second vice president, Mrs. John K. Lott; secretary, Mrs. C. Ross Shuman; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Anna C. Plank; treasurer, Mrs. J. Clarence Brister, and these Circle leaders: No. 1, Miss Ann Gilliland and Mrs. Shuman; No. 2, Misses Ruth McIlhenny and Sue Harper; No. 3, Mrs. Mark Johns and Mrs. Robert Ditchburn, and No. 4, Mrs. Plank and Mrs. Lott.

Reports on the year's work were received. The Guild raised over \$500, it was announced, and \$300 of that amount has been turned over to the church re-decoration fund.

**Mr. and Mrs. John D. Lippy, Sr.**, Chambersburg street, will leave Thursday morning on a motor trip of several months to California.

**The Friday Literary club** will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Earl Bowen, East Lincoln avenue. The program will be in charge of Mrs. J. I. Burgoon who will review Harlan Hatcher's Book, "The Great Lakes."

**Richard Eckert left Sunday** for Knoxville, Tenn., after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark K. Eckert, Springs avenue. Mr. Eckert has accepted a position with a firm of architects in Knoxville.

**L. (Jg) Robert W. Weaver**, who was separated from the naval reserves in Philadelphia Monday after almost three years of service, arrived Tuesday evening at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Burgoon, Springs avenue. L. Weaver, who is on terminal leave served with the navy's amphibious forces.

**Mrs. C. E. Bilheiser entertained** the members of the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club this week at her home on West Broadway.

**Mr. and Mrs. J. Donald Swope and son**, Captain Donald Swope, have returned to their home on West Broadway after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Swope's son-in-law and daughter, Lt. Cmdr. and Mrs. Murray B. Frazer, Bethesda, Md. They were joined over the week-end by John B. Keith, Carlisle street, who returned home Monday.

**Mrs. C. O. Schweizer presided** at the monthly business meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Fred Pfeffer, Baltimore street. Mrs. A. S. Coffman conducted the devotional period. Reports of the work of all standing committees were given by the chairmen. The society voted to contribute to the re-decoration fund of the church. A social hour was held following the meeting with Mrs. Wayne Weagley, Mrs. Stevens and Mrs. Harvey Bushman assisting Mrs. Pfeffer as hostesses.

**Miss Virginia Myers entertained** the members of the Acorn club Tuesday evening at her home on York street. The next meeting will be held Wednesday evening, April 24, at the home of Mrs. Eva Pape, Buford avenue.

**The Women of the Moose held** a regular meeting Tuesday evening at the Moose home with Thelma Yingling, senior regent, presiding. Thirty-six members attended. Mabel Laumaster, York, who made an official visit, talked briefly on the work of various committees. Members were urged to take their candy contributions for Moosehart to the Moose home by Friday evening.

**Twelve members of the Willing Workers' class** of St. John's Lutheran church, Abbotstown, went to Jacobus Sunday where they were guests of their former pastor, the Rev. Paul Gladfelter, and his wife.

**Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cobean** of New York city visited with friends here today en route to Harrisburg. They recently returned from a vacation trip to Cuba following Mr. Cobean's discharge from the army about six weeks ago.

### RECOVER WATCH

A man's wrist watch, stolen from the home of John A. Codori, 405 York street, on March 22, was recovered in a pawnshop in York Tuesday afternoon by Mr. Codori and Chief of Police Robert C. Harpster, who said the watch had been pawned for \$10 by Burnell L. Freed, 25, of Hanover. Freed pleaded guilty before Justice of the Peace John H. Basehore Tuesday to a burglary charge, after being picked up by Hanover police Monday on a warrant issued here.

### VFW MEETING

Members of the Gettysburg post of the VFW will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the post home on Carlisle street.

## Engagement

Noel—Young

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Young, Hanover, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Genevieve Elizabeth, to T. Sgt. Jean B. Noel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard I. Noel, 315 Main street, McSherrytown. Miss Young is a graduate of the Delone Catholic high school and attended Lancaster Business college. T. Sgt. Noel is also a graduate of the Delone Catholic high school, and is at present stationed at the First Army Headquarters, Fort Bragg, N. C.

## Weddings

Hollabaugh-Bucher

The marriage of Miss Frances Bucher, Red Lion, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bucher, Biglerville, to George Hollabaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hollabaugh, Biglerville, will be solemnized Saturday evening, April 20, at St. Paul's Lutheran church, Biglerville, in the presence of members of the families. The Rev. Henry W. Sternat will officiate.

Miss Bucher was graduated from Biglerville high school and is now serving in a secretarial capacity with a cabinet company in Red Lion.

Mr. Hollabaugh, who received his discharge from the army last fall, is now employed by a food processing plant in Baltimore.

Gher—Ewing

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Joan T. Ewing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Ewing, Harrisburg, to Martin E. Gher, grandson of Mrs. Sarah Sheets, of Shiremanstown. The ceremony was performed Saturday in St. Margaret's Episcopal church, Baltimore, with the rector, the Rev. Steven C. Adams, officiating.

The bride, who is a senior at William Penn high school, will enter the summer school at Gettysburg college upon her graduation.

The bridegroom, a graduate of Mechanicsburg high school, studied at Yale university for the last two years and is now completing work for his degree at Gettysburg college. Gher was on Yale's varsity football team in 1944 and 1945, playing a leading role in many of the games.

Prior to going to Yale, Gher served for two years as an aerial gunner on a bombing plane in the South Pacific. He won the Navy Air Medal for "meritorious achievement as a gunner in a bomber in a strike against two Jap warships at Rabaul on November 11, 1943." He has received altogether seven citations.

At Yale, he was a member of the Scroll and Key, the Aurelian society and the Pence fraternity.

Loria—Crow

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Olive M. Crow, daughter of Mrs. Laura E. Crow and the late Capt. Ralph C. Crow of Lemoyne, and Michel T. Loria, a native of Tiflis, European Georgia; in the Church of the Transfiguration in New York city, on Saturday, March 23, 1946. Mr. and Mrs. Loria are residing on their farm near McKnightstown.

## DEATH

Jerry M. Huff

Word has been received here of the death of Jerry M. Huff, 61, on March 22 at Lake City, Iowa. Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. J. M. Doms, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Lake City, March 24, at Squires funeral home.

Mr. Huff was a son of John and Louisa Sterner Huff and left Adams county about 30 years ago. Among the survivors are the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Lucy Kitzmiller, York; Mrs. Lilly Davern, Baltimore; Ivan, Table Rock; Mrs. Frank Hollinger, Gettysburg; Mrs. Christine Coffman, San Diego, Calif.; and John, California; nephews and nieces, Merle Huff, York Springs; Mrs. Lawrence Lupp, Biglerville; Dale Huff, Howard Huff, Charles Huff and Grace Huff, Gettysburg, and Lawrence Huff, Littlestown R. D.

## Correct Error In Court Trial List

The Times corrects a typographical error that appeared in Tuesday's edition.

In the trial list for the April term of court Donald G. Jacobs is listed as defendant on two counts, desertion and non-support and surety of the peace. This was an error. Mr. Jacobs is not charged with surety of the peace.

The original trial list shows Raymond W. Nelson, Latimore township, as being charged with desertion and non-support and surety of the peace. These charges were inadvertently omitted from the trial list in Tuesday's article.

### STILL UNCONSCIOUS

Gerald Blocher, 14, Aspers R. 1, who was struck by a truck in Biglerville Monday afternoon, remains unconscious at the Warner hospital where his condition was reported this afternoon as unchanged.

### TO PLAN MAY 30

The Memorial Day committee will hold a meeting Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the law office of William L. Meals, Center Square.

## LARGE NUMBERS OF JAPS VOTE

**Tokyo, April 10 (AP)**—Twenty-five million Japanese—led by a surprisingly large number of women who lined up early at polling places—to-day elected a postwar government in their first free election.

The Tokyo vote was between 65 and 70 per cent of those eligible—slightly higher than the confused and semi-restricted 1937 election but considerably less than the 86 per cent under the Hideki Tojo coercion that marked the 1942 voting.

Limited communications and slowness of election procedure prevented accurate reports from such key cities as Osaka. This was a national holiday, to encourage balloting.

Early queues at Tokyo's polling places led some Japanese observers to alter their previous predictions of a 75 per cent turnout, but the lines slackened in the afternoon.

Many who asked for ballots were unable to vote because of mixed records and poorly coordinated registration, partially due to recent population shifts.

This led some Communist leaders immediately to demand, through the Japanese press, a new election.

Women voters outnumbered the men in surprisingly heavy, early morning turnouts in five rural communities near Tokyo and appeared at Tokyo's major booths in increasing numbers.

## FIREMAN DIES AT ALLENTOWN

**Allentown, Pa., April 10 (AP)**—A general alarm fire swept through six or eight downtown buildings today, killing one fireman and injuring several others.

The entire Allentown fire department joined in the fight to halt spreading flames which started in the Rialto theater. The fire was still out of control at 11:30 a. m., nearly three hours after it started.

Mark Good, veteran fireman, was killed as the Rialto lobby collapsed. Several fellow firefighters were hurled into the basement but later were rescued.

Earlier an undetermined number of firemen were trapped in the same basement as a retaining wall collapsed. They were brought out and rushed to Allentown General and Sacred Heart hospitals. Extent of their injuries was not immediately determined.

Scores of residents of burning apartment houses were carried to safety on ladders.

Hospitals also reported treating numerous residents of the neighborhood for various injuries, described as generally of a minor nature.

## Succeeds In Third Suicide Attempt

**San Francisco, April 10 (AP)**—Pretty, blonde Virginia Hepburn, whose body, clad only in panties, was found on a hotel balcony after a gay week-end, apparently had succeeded in a third attempt at suicide, Police Inspector Alvin Corrasa said today.

He ascribed to the 21-year-old girl, who plunged in darkness yesterday from a seventh-floor room to the balcony of the balcony, a strange and eventful career, including two unsuccessful efforts to kill herself, an escape from a hospital for the insane and arrests for intoxication.

Corrasa continued an investigation of the case but said he considered her death a suicide.

He identified Army Lieut. H. A. Blankenship of Atlanta, Ga., and Bellaire, Ohio, as the occupant of the hotel room from which the girl fell and quoted him as saying he woke and found her in the room, that she ripped off her clothes, threatening to jump, and leaped before he could prevent her.

## Walter To Witness Atomic Bomb Tests

**Washington, April 10 (AP)**—Rep. Walter (D-Pa.) plans to witness "Operation Crossroads," the coming atomic bomb test at Bikini atoll in the Pacific.

The 51-year-old naval aviator veteran of both World Wars told a reporter he has been invited to accompany a Congressional observation party by Chairman Vinson (D-Ga.), of the House Naval Affairs Committee.

Walter, dean of Pennsylvania Democrats in the House, was a navigator on naval anti-submarine patrol off the Atlantic coast early in World War II before Congressmen in service were ordered to either quit Congress or the military.

## Appomattox Day Dinner At YWCA

The Appomattox Day dinner being planned for the members of the Gettysburg camp of the Sons of Union Veterans, their wives and the members of the affiliated women's organizations will be held Wednesday, April 24, in the YWCA building, it was announced today. The hour for the dinner is 6:30 p. m.

No announcement of the program for the evening has yet been made by the committee on arrangements which includes T. J. Winebrenner, Arthur H. Shields, and J. E. Snyder.

## Upper Communities

**Mrs. Robert Thomas and sons**, Larry and Gordon, have returned to Johnstown after spending several weeks with friends and relatives in Adams county and Chambersburg. Sgt. Thomas accompanied them home to spend a 12-day furlough.

**The Sunday School** of the Wenksville Lutheran church will present an Easter program Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A pageant and recitations will be featured on the program, arrangements for which are in charge of Mr. and Mrs. David Houck and Mr. and Mrs. Orville McBeth.

**E. W. Surber of the United States Fish and Wild Life experiment station**, Kearneysville, W. Va., was the guest speaker at a recent dinner-meeting of the CHAM club held at the United Brethren church at Inwood, W. Va. Ernest E. Unger, the president, presided.

**Chaplain and Mrs. Hiram Trostle**, and their children, Judy and Ronald, left today for New York city after a visit with Chaplain Trostle's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar C. Rice, Sr., Biglerville. Chaplain Trostle is now on terminal leave after two and one-half years of service, the greater part of which was spent in India. Mr. and Mrs. Rice had as guests over the week-end another nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Trostle, Bethlehem.

**Routine business** was transacted at the April meeting of the Biglerville town council held Tuesday evening with all members present.

## Rev. James A. Brosius Expires In Sunbury

The Rev. James A. Brosius, 59, retired Lutheran minister and graduate of the Gettysburg Lutheran Theological seminary, died Monday evening at 9 o'clock at his home in Sunbury.

A native of Ashland, Pa., the Rev. Mr. Brosius was a graduate of Susquehanna university and was ordained in the Lutheran ministry by the Susquehanna synod in 1914 following his graduation from seminary. He served pastorates at Blacksburg, Va., Friends Cove, Pa., Thurmont, Md., and Johnstown before retiring because of ill health.

Among the survivors is Chaplain George R. Brosius, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Radford Lippy, Chambersburg street, now stationed at Norfolk, Va.

## Plan Easter Dawn Service At Seminary

A community Easter Dawn service, sponsored by the Adams county Christian Endeavor Union, will be held on the campus of the Gettysburg Theological seminary. In case of inclement weather, service will be held in the Church of the Abiding Presence.

The speaker will be the Rev. Floyd A. Carroll, pastor of the Methodist church here. Special music is also being arranged for the affair. The public is invited to the service.

## Peter Pan Club To Present Play

A three-act play, "Our Town," by Thornton Wilder, will be presented by the Peter Pan club in the Biglerville school auditorium Thursday and Friday evenings at 8:15 o'clock.

The story concerns a day in the lives of the people of "Grove's Corners," New Hampshire. One of the features will be the wedding of "George Gibbs" and "Emily Webb."

There will be no reserved seats for either performance.

### OPEN CIVIL ACTION

An action in assumpsit brought by Daniel P. Seymore and Marie A. Seymore, Hanover R. 4, against Edward P. Emerson and Lucy D. Emerson, Hanover R. 3, was filed today in the office of Prothonotary Arthur H. Shields. No statement of claim has been filed.

### CADET DIES

**Corpus Christi, Tex., April 10 (AP)**—James F. Menges, 20-year-old naval aviation cadet and a former Erie, Pa., resident, died in Naval hospital last night from injuries suffered as his plane crashed while landing at Cuddihy Naval Auxiliary Air Station and caught fire. Menges' flight instructor was killed in the mishap.

### REGULARS WIN

**Chicago, April 10 (AP)**—Candidates backed by the regular Republican and Democratic organizations scored easy victories yesterday in one of the smallest and most colorless Illinois primary elections in several years.

### BUDDIES

**Hiawatha, Kas., (AP)**—The John Warren family moved to town from the country and brought their dog along, but left their cat behind.

After keeping the dog tied up for several weeks in the new surroundings, the Warrens released the dog and it immediately disappeared, returning a few days later with his feline pal.

The two had grown up together and were inseparable.

### WED 40 YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lutz, 342 York street, are observing their fortieth wedding anniversary today.

## Arendtsville

**John Stover** has returned from the European theatre of war and is at his home with his wife and son.

**Glenn Hoke** was a recent visitor in Carlisle.

**The Boy Scouts** will make a collection of paper Thursday evening. They have asked that the paper be tied into bundles or put in cartons and placed on the pavement in order to conserve time in collecting.

**Clyde Sell**, who spent several years in the European theatre of war, has arrived at his home near "The Narrows."

**Capt. Henry F. Thomas** has returned after spending several days in New York city.

**Approximately 150 women** who were attending a Missionary conference in the Trinity Lutheran church were served a dinner in the high school dining room by the Home Economics club, under the direction of Miss Lowe, Tuesday evening.

## DOCK EMPLOYEES BACK ON JOB

**Philadelphia, April 10 (AP)**—Waterfront workers, idle since Friday when striking AFL tugboat employees set up picket lines on all piers to halt shipping in the port of Philadelphia, streamed back to work today.

William E. Collier, field representative of district 50, United Mine Workers, representing the 400 striking tugboat employees, said picket lines were withdrawn from all piers except two used entirely by the strikebound tug companies.

Union longshoremen, truckers and other waterfront workers—more than 4,000 in number—refused to cross the picket lines set up by the United Harbor Workers (AFL), a UMW affiliate.

Collier said the union and spokesmen for the seven tugboat companies have reached agreement on all points in dispute except one—the demand for extra pay for 16-hour shifts. He said a 30 per cent wage increase has been approved by both labor and management.

The strike began March 13. Company spokesmen had no immediate comment.

## Draft Bill Set For Quick House Action

**Washington, April 10 (AP)**—The House leadership signaled today for double-quick action on a bill for straightaway continuation of the draft until February 15, 1947.

Almost as soon as the House Military committee decided in favor of this nine-month extension, the measure was given a preferred place on the Chamber's calendar, with debate scheduled for Friday and Saturday and a vote hoped for before the week-end recess.

The present law is due to expire exactly five weeks from today—May 15, and that space leaves Congress with comparatively scant elbow room should legislative details develop between House and Senate over details of the measure to be enacted.

Indications were that the bitter battle which preceded the committee's 15 to 8 extended recommendation late yesterday would be renewed on the House floor.

## Army Units Reaching U. S.

(By The Associated Press)  
Eight transports, carrying 970 service personnel, are scheduled to arrive today at San Francisco and San Diego, Calif., while 2,861 troops are due to embark at New York from three vessels.

Ships and units arriving:

**At New York**  
Pittston Victory from Bremerhaven (due originally yesterday), 936 troops, including 1511 engineer water supply company; 1392 engineer forestry company. Wheaton Victory from Antwerp, 931 troops, including 465th and 958th quartermaster companies. Colby Victory from Le Havre, 994 miscellaneous troops.

**At San Francisco**  
Miscellaneous troops on following vessels: Thurston from Samar, 714 navy; Mercy from Pearl Harbor, 104 navy, four army, LST 727 from Pearl Harbor (due originally yesterday), 98 navy; Dorchester from Pearl Harbor, 24 navy; Quick from Pearl Harbor, 10 navy; Motoboi from Pearl Harbor, one navy officer.

**At San Diego**  
Destroyers Wake and Laffey, 15 navy personnel.

### TO SHOW RARE DOGS

**Pittsburgh, April 10 (AP)**—Sixty-two different breeds of dogs, including the rare barkless basenji, will be exhibited at the 7th annual Western Pennsylvania Kennel club show here Friday and Saturday. A total of 879 dogs will compete for \$5,000 in prizes.

The first locomotive ever operated in the United States was bought in England.

## BULLETINS

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that many thousands more were too broken physically to be useful as laborers.

**Pittsburgh, April 10 (AP)**—Twenty-four men and two women were indicted today by a federal grand jury on charges of violating OPA ration requirements in sales involving more than one million pounds of sugar.

**Washington, April 10 (AP)**—A House Military subcommittee recommended legislation today to give a \$400 yearly pay raise to all members of the armed forces. The boost would be given to officers and enlisted men alike.

**Washington, April 10 (AP)**—A flour rationing plan without coupon worries for housewives hung fire today as the government took another careful look into the wheat situation made tense by widespread hunger abroad.

## RED CROSS FUND

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sional Women's Club, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel E. Teeter and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donaldson. The Mt. Hope U. B. Sunday School gave \$5.89.

Five dollar donations were made by the following: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Snyder, Lutheran Bible Class, Fairfield; E. H. Newman, Clarence Weikert, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Weikert, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Scott, George Neely, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Culbertson,

## SOFTBALL LOOP TO CONSIST OF TWELVE TEAMS

Twelve teams will comprise the Community Softball league this season as the result of two new teams joining the circuit at a meeting in the fire engine house Tuesday evening. The War Mappers announced they would be forced to withdraw.

The league will now consist of the following teams: Acme store, Veterans of Foreign Wars, West End, Aires, Ice and Storage, A. and P. store, Varsity Barbers, State Highway, State Guard, Elks, Moose, American Legion, and Knox's store. Representatives of the teams posted \$5 forfeits at the meeting and it was decided that no additional teams would be admitted.

President William McClellan, who presided, appointed Paul McClellan, Kenneth Small and George Gorman on a committee to draw up a schedule. President McClellan and Kenneth Small will head a committee on arranging for the construction of a playing field.

**Vets Eligible**

A decision was reached whereby each team will be permitted to sign one returned GI after his discharge, regardless of the 15-player roster limit.

It was voted to use the inner-seam softball as the official type of ball. Under present plans for the schedule each team will play each other team three times during the season, the championship to be decided by a round-robin tournament between the first four teams.

Another meeting will be held Tuesday evening at 7:15 o'clock at the engine house.

## BARONS CLOSE TO PUCK TITLE

**Cleveland, April 10 (P)—**The Barons are within one game of retaining their American hockey league title, and that means they have come a long, long way since the end of the regular season.

By winning, 7 to 5, last night from the Buffalo Bisons, Cleveland took a lead of three games to one in the best of seven Calder cup series. By winning Thursday night at Buffalo they could renew their title, but two more dates are scheduled—Saturday night here and Sunday night in Buffalo.

Heavily stocked with players over 30 years of age, the Barons have reached a commanding position in the finals by coming up the hard way. Buffalo was a first-place team at the end of the season, and had piled up a record number of points, while Cleveland was down in third place in the western division.

The Barons moved past Providence with two straight victories in the third-place playoffs, but barely squeezed past Pittsburgh in the semi-finals while the Bisons were subduing Indianapolis in the first-place bracket.

## Exhibition Baseball

**(By The Associated Press)**  
**Yesterday's Results**  
Detroit (A), 4; Boston (N), 3.  
Cincinnati (N), 4; Boston (A), 2.  
Brooklyn (N), 2; New York (A), 0.  
Washington (A), 4; Philadelphia (N), 2.

St. Louis (A), 3; Chicago (N), 2.  
New York (N), 3; Cleveland (A), 3; tie, called end of 12 innings to allow teams to catch trains.

Chicago (A) vs. Pittsburgh (N), called end of two innings, rain.  
New York (A) "B" vs. Brooklyn (N) "B", cancelled, wet grounds.  
St. Louis (N) vs. Dallas (TL), called end of one inning, rain.

## Says Loop Fosters Contract Jumping

**San Francisco, April 10 (P)—**The National Professional Football league was charged today with trying to "disrupt morale" of players of the All-American circuit by offering them big increases to encourage "contract jumping."

"They (the National league) have no intention of signing any of our men," said Commissioner Jim Crowley, insisting in an interview that contracts of the rival league "mean nothing. All contracts have a 48-hour cancellation clause."

Crowley said the National league had made salary offers to All-American players as high as \$25,000. He mentioned the names of Frankie Albert of San Francisco and Angelo Bertelli of Los Angeles as players who had received offers from the National grid loop.

## Repair Alleys For ABC Tourney

**Buffalo, N. Y., April 10 (P)—**There was no morning or afternoon rolling at the American Bowling Congress' championship tournament today due to a break in the schedule to provide for minor adjustments and repairs to the alleys as the meet neared its half-way mark.

The spotlight tonight will be directed on the first owl shift when the Honolulu, Hawaii Malahini Keglers take the slides with a group of 39 other teams from New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia, Michigan, Indiana, and Illinois.

Yesterday's action failed to threaten leaders in the tourney.

## Baseball Briefs

**Columbus, O., April 10 (P)—**Baseball makes its 1946 bow today in Ohio's capital with the New York Yankees and the Brooklyn Dodgers tangle in an exhibition contest to draw more than 10,000 fans. Yank Manager Joe McCarthy nominated Charley Stanceu for mound duty and Joe Hatten was Manager Leo Durocher's pitching selection.

**Columbia, S. C., April 10 (P)—**The Philadelphia Phillies, who have been outtitting the Washington Senators pretty regularly, will have to start beating them today if they're to even their spring series. The Nats won, 4-2, on three hits yesterday to take a 4-1 lead in the exhibition series.

**Frederick, Md., April 10 (P)—**The Philadelphia Athletics resume their series with the Baltimore Orioles here today. The A's had a picnic yesterday at Merceburg, Pa., where they thumped Merceburg academy, 12-1.

**Wichita, Kans., April 10 (P)—**The Chicago Cubs, lagging by four games, will send Hiram Bithorn against the St. Louis Browns today in the semi-final of their 26-game exhibition marathon. Denny Galehouse will be gunning for the Browns' 12th victory over the Cubs.

**Tulsa, Okla., April 10 (P)—**Hal Trosky, lefthanded power hitter, will try switch-hitting for the first time in years in the Chicago White Sox's waning exhibition feud with the Pittsburgh Pirates.

**Oklahoma City, Okla., April 10 (P)—**Ex-paratrooper Johnny Grodzicki, who still wears a steel brace on his right leg while pitching as a result of a wound suffered in Germany a year ago, is scheduled to make his 1946 debut on the mound for the St. Louis Cardinals today against the Oklahoma City Indians.

**Wichita, Kans., April 10 (P)—**For the first time since his short-lived jump to the Mexican league, Vern Stephens was returned to the short-stop position with the St. Louis Browns yesterday in the exhibition contest with the Chicago Cubs.

**Terre Haute, Ind., April 10 (P)—**The Detroit Tigers, beaten three straight times by the Cincinnati Reds during their Florida stay, hooked up with the Reds here today in the first of a four-game series that will take the two clubs across Indiana and Ohio.

**Richmond, Va., April 10 (P)—**The New York Giants arrived here last night minus Manager Mel Ott who was left behind in a Danville hospital. Ott was hit in the neck by one of Pitcher Mike Budnick's throws in battery practice and, although he apparently wasn't hurt, decided to stay overnight at the hospital to have a thorough examination.

## HAWAII ASSURED OF FIGHT TITLE

**Boston, April 10 (P)—**Four Hawaiians, who abandoned their keen personal rivalries in the interests of team play, will revert to team again with lusty vigor in the opening bouts of the 58th National AAU championship boxing semi-finals and finals tonight at the Boston garden.

They are 112-pounders Yoshi Miyamura, David Buna, Baldwin Okamoto and Walter Chung, who have exchanged many a blow back home on their islands. That quartet swept last night's quarter-finals competition in the title tournament and, as a result, Hawaii is assured of at least one national championship victory in tonight's fist-clashing conclusion.

The Hawaiian team, making its first start in the nationals since 1940, also placed representatives in two other divisions, Tsuneki Maruo in the 118-pounds class, and Robert Takeshita was one of the last four remaining 147-pounders.

The only other of the many teams entered that qualified two semi-finalists were those representing Oakland, Calif., Chicago, Pittsburgh, Philadelphia and the U. S. Marines' mitted forces from Cherry Point, N. C.

## CANADIENS WIN TROPHY AGAIN

**Montreal, April 10 (P)—**The Stanley Cup, emblematic of the world's professional hockey championship, again was in the possession of Montreal's fast-stepping Canadiens following their clinching 6-3 victory over Boston's Bruins last night.

The Canucks, who captured the National Hockey league pennant during the last three regular seasons and the coveted trophy after two of them, won four of the five games played in the best-of-seven series. The Bruins scored their lone triumph Sunday after the Canadiens had swept the first three tilts.

It was the Canadiens' fifth Stanley Cup conquest since the NHL was organized in 1917. The Canadiens last won the trophy two years ago but after winning the flag race last season they were eliminated in the first round of the playoffs and the Toronto Maple Leafs won the cup.

## ARENDTSTVILLE NINE VICTOR

Arendtville high school's baseball team trounced Fairfield high 18-1 Tuesday afternoon in an exhibition game played at Arendtville.

The Apple Pickers poked 13 hits, Singley and Spence each connecting for three safeties. Fairfield mustered but four hits off the combined offerings of Spence, Singley and Herring.

Both schools used a number of reserves in an attempt to establish probable starters when the Adams County Scholastic league opens on Friday.

Arendtville	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Oyler, 2b	2	4	1	1	0	0
Schlosser, 2b	0	0	0	1	0	0
R. Allison, c	3	4	2	1	1	0
Singley, 3b, p	3	3	3	0	1	0
Spence, p, 3b	5	4	3	1	2	0
Staub, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chapman, ss	4	1	2	0	0	0
Strausbaugh, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
J. Allison, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Fissel, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Kane, lf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Herring, 1b, p	3	1	0	2	0	0
Lupp, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Mumma, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals	32	18	13	21	4	0
Fairfield	AB	R	H	O	A	E
W. Weikert, lf, 3b	3	1	1	1	0	1
J. Weikert, ss	3	0	1	1	2	1
Sites, 1b	3	0	1	6	0	0
Harbaugh, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Strausbaugh, 2b	2	0	1	3	0	0
Newman, c	3	0	0	5	0	0
Dick, 3b, p	3	0	0	0	1	1
Shindeldecker, cf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Wolf, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Musselman, p	1	0	0	0	0	1
Brown, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Myers, p, rf	2	0	0	1	2	0

**Totals** 25 1 4 18 6 4

**Score by innings:**  
Arendtville 3 6 5 4 0 0—18  
Fairfield 0 0 0 1 0 0—1

**Bases on balls:** off Myers, 4; Musselman, 2; Dick, 1. **Strikeouts:** Spence, 7; Herring, 3; Singley, 1; Myers, 4; Dick, 1. **Two-base hits:** Spence, J. Allison, Strausbaugh. **Three-base hit:** Singley. **Sacrifice:** Singley. **Umpire:** Hartzell.

## Says Giants Not Interested In Owen

**New York, April 10 (P)—**Owner Horace Stoneham of the New York Giants says he isn't interested in the "for sale" sign that Brooklyn hung on Senor Mickey Owen but he is scouring the majors for more pitching, a right-hand hitting outfielder and a utility infielder.

"We have the best catcher in baseball," said Stoneham, who bought Walker Cooper from the St. Louis Cardinals for \$175,000 during the winter. "Despite all that talk about our trying to buy Owen at Columbus, we never were interested."

Stoneham pointed out that the Giants outfield is top-heavy with left-hand hitters. Manager Mel Ott, Babe Young, Jesse Piek, Willard Marshall and Johnny Rucker all hit from the first base side of the platter.

Stoneham said he had been negotiating with three clubs in the National league, trying to plug the gaps in the Polo Grounds lineup before the season opened but had nothing definite to report. He refused to name the clubs.

## Hurls His Second No-Hit Ball Game

**Harrisburg, Pa., April 10 (P)—**Charlie Arendt, a 17-year-old William Penn high school student, today was hailed in Pennsylvania scholastic sports circles for hurling his second no-hit, no-run game.

The youthful sensation, in four games this season, has allowed no runs in 26 innings pitched. He has allowed a total of three hits; walked three, and struck out 57 of 86 men he has faced.

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## Tilt Postponed Until Friday

Due to improvements being made on Nixon field, the game scheduled between the Gettysburg and Elizabethtown college teams for this afternoon was postponed until Friday afternoon.

The game will get underway at 3 o'clock with Lefty Russ Augst scheduled to hurl for the Bullets.

On Saturday the Plank-men play Johns Hopkins at Baltimore.

## Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

**New York, April 10 (P)—**Last word on basketball: . . . the top high school team in 13 states where they were rated by Dick Dunkel for the scholastic sports institute last winter was Champaign, Ill. . . . Champaign, which won 38 out of 39 games (and who said the college schedules were long?) barely edged out Allentown, Pa., high by a fraction of a point for the No. 1 spot. . . . Don't ask us how Dunkel arrives at those figures. A guy who tries to rate 10,000 teams is entitled to his own methods. . . . Other teams that were right up there included Cleveland's Benedictine high, Iowa City, Ia., and Cliffside Park, N. J. . . . Dunkel, the S.S.I. and that well known 5-cent soft drink also operated in Indiana, Massachusetts, California, Texas, New York, Missouri, Michigan and Wisconsin. You'll have to ask them how your favorite made out.

## SPORTS BEFORE YOUR EYES

Bob Kurland, who has accumulated seven wrist watches for his basketball feats, overleaps his first class at Oklahoma A. and M. after his return from the eastern tournaments. . . . "They should have presented me with an alarm clock," Bob moaned. . . . T/4 Alfred Daily, former Manhattan captain and ICA-4 1,000 yards champ, will be runner-coach of the Fort Dix, N. J., track team this spring. . . . Business manager Charley Blossfield of the Hartford (Eastern League) Laurels, can and sometimes does pass for crooner Bing Crosby—until he opens his mouth. . . . Johnny Derr, former Greensboro, N. C., news and CBI Roundup sports editor, is the new managing editor of "Crockery and Glass Journal"—which has nothing to do with Johnny's chin.

## YOUTH MOVEMENT

Austin, Minn., high school is proud of taking two state championships in one winter—swimming and basketball—but even prouder of the fact it has 15 coaches in a city of 22,000 and no candidate for an athletic team ever is cut from the squad. . . . Five-year-old Tommy Schuler of Little Chute, Wisc., can match most professionals at bag-punching tricks but the neighborhood kids say he never starts a fight. . . . When Jim Elliott, Villanova track coach, ran at West Philadelphia high school his coach was Jack Glasscott. Now Jim has Jack Glasscott, Jr., a hurdler, as one of his pupils. What a chance for pop to second-guess.

## Keystone Golfers To Resume Tourneys

**Pittsburgh, April 10 (P)—**The western Pennsylvania golf associations plans a full tournament schedule this year for the first time since 1942, including resumption of the West Penn open, last held four years ago; the two-ball, best ball meet; team matches, and a caddie tourney.

The amateur and Junior events, held through the war, will be continued. No decision has been made on the pro-amateur, which was a war-time substitute for the open, or on one-day handicap tournaments. Dates and places for the various events will be decided in the near future.

The association's tentative pro-

## PASQUEL SAYS OWEN OFFERED \$20,000 YEAR

**Mexico City, April 10 (P)—**Mexican League President Jorge Pasquel, who claims he is freeing U. S. ball players from the bondage of "starvation salaries," says the Brooklyn Dodgers promised Catcher Mickey Owen plenty of pesos to lure him back into organized baseball.

Brooklyn President Branch Rickey "promised Owen a contract for three years at \$20,000 annually plus all expenses and taxes," Pasquel declared in a statement late last night. "It is curious to note that my brother, Alfonso, was present in the telephone conversation that Owen had with Senor Rickey Monday night," he said, adding "never before would it have occurred to this senior to pay his players what they justly are worth."

## Says He Will Sue

Last week, when Owen first announced that he was going to play in Pasquel's loop, he said that he had agreed to a five-year contract for an undisclosed salary plus a \$12,500 cash bonus for signing the document. The Dodgers were believed to have paid the backstop between \$12,500 and \$15,000 a year before he entered the navy in 1945.

The dapper czar of the Mexican league reiterated that he will sue Owen, who he said signed a contract in St. Louis to play here for five years, and Vernon Stephens, the hard-hitting St. Louis Browns short-stop who departed Mexico suddenly after playing two games.

"Stephens said he didn't like Mexico's old ball parks," Pasquel went on. "Well, very soon we shall have some of the best in the world. But old ones filled with real fans are preferable to the likewise old American parks holding 50,000 spectators and often attended by scarcely 4,000 or 5,000."

## Umpire Case Cited

Pasquel said he couldn't understand how Owen and Stephens were accepted back into organized baseball while a small-salaried minor league umpire was put on the "black list," for officiating here.

"Take the case of Umpire Munari (Harry Munari, former Appellate and Interstate league arbiter). This senior is working in the Mexican league. He was receiving \$200 monthly in the United States, not enough to live on in his country. Here he is paid a much higher salary, and because he came here, he has been placed on the black list in his country."

"Why wasn't the same thing done with Stephens?" he asked.

## 2ND NO-HITTER

Continuing his amazing pitching, Charlie Arendt, 17-year-old bespectacled right-hander, hurled his second no-hit, no-run game of the season and his fourth consecutive shutout as the William Penn high school, Harrisburg, baseball team won over the Enola high club, 8 to 0, on the Penn field Tuesday in a seven-inning tilt.

gram was mapped at its annual dinner meeting last night, attended by some 230 golfers. Kenneth C. Witherow, of the Stanton Heights club, was named president of the association, succeeding S. Davidson Herron of the Allegheny country club.

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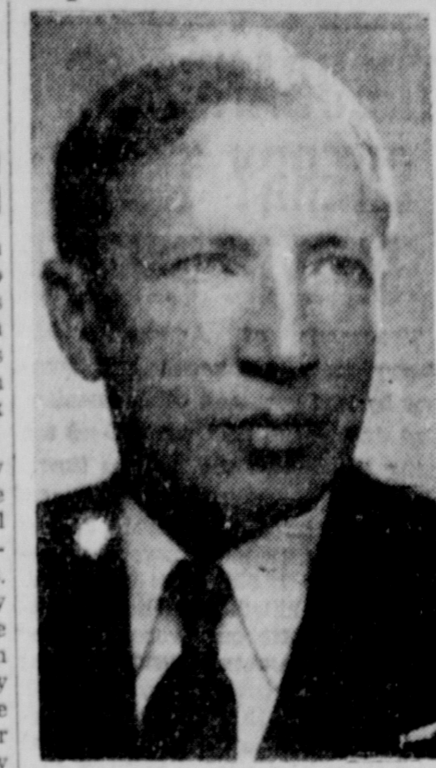
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## Republican Chairman



Carroll Reece, for 26 years a congressman and winner of many decorations in World War I, is the new chairman of the Republican National committee. Resident of Johnson City, Tenn., Reece, 56 years old, is married, has one daughter. He won the Distinguished Service Cross, Distinguished Service Medal, Purple Heart and the Croix de Guerre with palm in service with the AEF's 26th (Yankee) Division. He was elected to succeed Herbert Brownell, Jr., New York, resigned.

## All Seats Sold For Washington Opener

**Washington, April 10 (P)—**All reserved seats—approximately 25,000—have been sold and an overflow crowd of more than 30,000 appeared a certainty today for Washington's opener next Tuesday with the Boston Red Sox. The club was the first in the majors to report a sellout for the season's inaugural.

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## Fights Last Night

**(By The Associated Press)**  
**Kansas City—**Willie Joyce, 138, Gary, Ind., knocked out Ruby Garcia, 136, Puerto Rico (2).  
**Buffalo, N. Y.—**Phil Muscato, 181, Buffalo, outpointed Joe Maxim, 186½, Cleveland (10).  
**New York—**Irish Mickey Doyle, 157, Cleveland, knocked out Larney Moore, 158, Hempstead, N. Y. (9).  
**Trenton, N. J.—**Pat Murray, 142, Paterson, N. J., outpointed Patsy Zaccaro, 143, Montreal (8).  
**Washington—**Tony Falco, 143, Hartford, Conn., and Jimmie McGriff, 142, Washington, drew (8).  
**Allentown, Pa.—**Al Johnson, 166, Washington, D. C., outpointed Gene Pinter, 165, Tamaqua, Pa. (8).  
**Hartford, Conn.—**George "Red" Doty, 154½, Hartford, outpointed Sal Richie, 151, Brooklyn (8).  
**Jersey City, N. J.—**Eddie Mur-

phy, 136½, New York, outpointed Lou Prince, 131½, Princeton, N. J. (8).

Somerville, N. J.—Ralph Dougherty, 162½, Bloomfield, N. J., outpointed Freddie Lott, 169½, Newark, N. J. (6).

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## Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest

### MEN

Men are creatures made to marry  
And put up with,  
Cook for, sew for, fetch and carry,  
Daily sup with.

Men are what maids rest their  
fate on,  
Sighs and laughter;  
Men are creatures wives must wait  
on  
Ever after.

Men are nuisances and brothers,  
Tom, Dick, Harry,  
Sons of older, doing mothers  
Maids must marry.

## Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS  
IMAGINATION

If more people had, what I choose to call fertile imaginations, there wouldn't be so many heartless folks in the world. I talk of imagination as creative, not destructive, as so many make it.

Creative imagination—always fertile—is what has shaped the best part of this world, and given to human beings their greatest comforts and enjoyments. It is essential to the pioneer and the inventor, as well as the scientist. And it is stock in trade to the writer.

People with no imagination just trot along with the crowd. They miss the joy and the thrill that always come to those who do have imagination, and who constantly put it to work for them. People with imagination are always inspiring. They are forever stirring up ideas, and sending them upon mission after mission. Some of these missions may not always be profitable, but many of them are sure to be. Many of our objectives are never reached, but it is better to aim at something that you want, even though you don't get it, than to aim at nothing and get what you don't want!

Big aims stir the imagination. Small plans melt away too soon. Imagination always spreads out. You never know where its fingers are to touch. Surprises hop up all along the path of a running imagination. The man with imagination makes a castle out of his humble hut!

For weeks I have been vacationing, and regaining my health, at Miami Beach, Florida. The spot where I now write was, but a few years ago, a mangrove swamp. Miami itself was but an unheralded small Florida town. Then Carl Fisher came, his brain a bundle of imaginative dreams. Carl Fisher is gone—but a beautiful city, known around the world—remains as a monument to his restless, creative mind.

The traveler sees along the roadside a great block of marble, and passes on—but the sculptor pauses. He buys the marble, for his imagination sees within its solid bulk a human being—perhaps an angel—with heart, soul, and spiritual splendor!

### Hatchery Business Finds Season Poor

Scarcity and high price of poultry feed is causing some Pennsylvania turkey growers to order fewer poulters from hatcheries, and cancellations of orders for baby chicks are occurring frequently, the state Department of Agriculture announced today following a federal-state survey of hatchery production for February.

Because the "demand for chicks is not very brisk" some Pennsylvania hatcherymen refer to this as an "off year" for poultry the report states. In most localities the demand for layer chicks is less than last year and for cockerel chicks it is extremely light. Chick production for the month was 7,580,000 or 290,000 more than for February, 1944. Production was about two and a half million greater than the average from 1940 to 1944.

### The Almanac

10—Sun rises 5:51; sets 6:32.  
Moon sets 2:52 a. m.  
11—Sun rises 5:39; sets 6:33.  
Moon sets 3:31 a. m.  
Moon Phases  
16—Full Moon  
24—Last Quarter.

## Out Of The Past

From the Files of the  
Star and Sentinel and  
The Gettysburg Times

### TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Go To Convention: A number of members of the Gettysburg Rotary Club have gone to Atlantic City to attend the annual convention next week of the organization. Among those in attendance are Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Plank, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Fissel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peckman, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Weaver, M. C. Jones and Rev. Paul R. Pontius.

Volunteer Workmen: Under the supervision of the College Y.M.C.A., headed by President P. M. Willard, the students of the institution are daily donating time and labor during the excavation of the Weiden-sall Y.M.C.A. building site.

According to the present program the students will go on duty as foundation diggers whenever called upon by the head of their boarding clubs.

Abell-Arentz: Miss Susan Marie Arentz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Arentz, Mount Joy township, and James Francis Abell, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Abell, Gettysburg, were married Monday evening by Rev. D. M. Moser at his residence on Carlisle street.

First County Soldier Killed in War Buried With Military Honors. Going out from his birthplace almost totally unnoticed except by a few immediate relatives and friends, Albert J. Lentz, Adams county hero of the World War, returned to Gettysburg, Monday, dead, but welcomed by thirty-five hundred persons who assembled from all parts of Adams county to pay homage to the first of their sons who fell on the battlefields of France.

Seventy-eight soldiers and twelve sailors of the Gettysburg American Legion post, representatives from the Ira E. Lady post and the George Snyder post; uniformed men from the R.O.T.C. unit at college, and delegates from the Corporal Skelly post of the Grand Army of the Republic were in attendance at the funeral services. In the guard of honor at the funeral parlors of H. B. Bender were David Yohe, William Allison, William Timmins, John Slaybaugh, John P. Butt, Jr., and Henry Garvin. They accompanied the hearse to Center Square where the crowd was packed about the ornament.

Rev. Harry Daniels, orator of the evening was introduced by Commander C. William Duncan, who acted as master of ceremonies. After the address the procession proceeded to the cemetery with the Citizens' Band; Procession Leader Clyde L. Bream, Commander Duncan and Bugler Lloyd Hess in the lead.

The firing squad was composed of John Hartman, Earl Stallsmith, Freeman Stanton, Howard Harner, Charles Wible, Walter Sterner, Vincent Florence and Dorsey Rebert. The pall bearers were Maurice Miller, Earl Deardorff, Curtis Sheads, Lawrence Sheads, Harry Lackner and Maurice Stallsmith.

After the dead body had been lowered to the grave, Chaplain Gruber conducted the commitment services of the American Legion and Rev. Mr. Daniels that of the Methodist Episcopal church, of which Albert Lentz was a member.

Subscribe Funds For Legion Home: A total of \$1,855 toward an American Legion home was subscribed by the members of the Gettysburg post at their special meeting Monday night on the eve of the funeral of the soldier after whom their post is named.

Sums ranging from \$5 to \$50 were pledged by the following men: Paul Lower, Clarence W. Epley, Clyde Bream, C. William Duncan, J. Claire Sowers, Peter McCollison, M. V. Fugitt, Ivan Naugle, Donald F. Ikeler, Charles J. Myers, Howard Richards, Arthur Warman, John W. Hartman, Dorsey Rebert, Donald Stewart, Ralph Strevig, Charles Wible, Curvin Krout, H. W. Baker, David Yohe, Edmund Power, Percy Eichelberger, Russell Stouffer, Earl Deardorff, Allen Dubbs, Maurice Stallsmith, Maurice Miller, Harold Mumper, Carl Menchey, William Allison, John Slaybaugh, E. A. Moser, Ray Miller, Freeman Stanton, Leroy Winebrenner, Carl Martz, George Ditchburn, Harry Lyles, E. W. Stallsmith, Howard Harner, Carl McDonnell, C. E. Wolf, William Lentz, Preston Singley, Frances Smith, Frank Watson, Raymond Lentz, Otto Beyer, H. W. Kime, George Baugher and Charles Bream, of Arendtsville, each pledged \$5.

Country Club Formally Opens: Eight months after the start of its erection, the Quaker Valley Country Club Tuesday night formally threw open its doors to its one hundred and seventy members. The ladies of the Guernsey Dancing Club supervised the serving of the supper.

Personal: Mrs. Elizabeth McIlhenny, of Hunterstown, is visiting Mrs. Francis Choate, Carlisle street. Mrs. Clyde Berger and son Emory Blair Berger and Mrs. J. Emory Blair have gone to Baltimore, where they will remain indefinitely.

Mrs. Herman E. Lee and children, Evelyn and James, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sheads, 431 Baltimore street. Mr. and Mrs. George P. Eberhart and daughter, Mary, returned Monday from Atlantic City.

# News Of Interest To Upper Communities Of County

## THOUSANDS OF CHERRY TREES DIED IN WINTER

Thousands of Adams county cherry trees, weakened last summer by leaf spot and other enemies, died during the past winter and are being cut out at the present time.

Among the orchards apparently most badly hit are the Daniel Sheely farm where possibly several thousand of the 12,000 trees appear to have been killed. At the Musselman Blue Ribbon orchards near Arendtsville several hundred trees have already been removed, leaving a long swath through the center of the orchard and additional trees there also appear to have died during the winter.

Dr. Fred Lewis, of the Arendtsville laboratory, said today that he had made "the beginnings of a survey" of trees that died during the winter and that "it appears so far that those trees which defoliated in June have not been able to withstand the effects of the winter while those that defoliated in July or later have been able to get through the winter months."

### Greater Than Expected

Leaf spot was blamed for much of the injury with last summer providing perfect conditions for spread of the fungus. The wet damp weather gave the leaf spot a chance to spread rapidly through the county and as a result the foliage of many trees dropped in the first part of the summer leaving the trees bare and weak. The trees that were most badly hit by the leaf spot or which had been weak before the leaf spot took away the leaves then were killed by the cold winter.

The damage was greater than had been expected earlier with the trees getting through the first part of the winter apparently in fair shape. However during the latter part of the winter the weakest trees died rapidly.

## RUGGED BEEVES MAKE BEST GAIN

Summarizing a four-year study of the different types of beef steers and different methods of feeding, county agents of Lancaster county report that the large rugged type makes a more rapid daily gain by two-fifths of a pound.

The same type of beef animal required 34 pounds less of feed for 100 pounds of gain in weight, and returned to its owner \$16 per head more above cost than other types. The summary, including 357 head of steer calves, was made by County Agent F. S. Bucher and his assistant county agents, H. S. Sloat and M. M. Smith. Figures were taken from the record books of 4-H Club members enrolled in Baby Beef Club work.

Steers fed alone made a slightly better gain than those fed together.

## Artificial Breeding Starts In Franklin Co.

Secretary H. Lester Oyler of the Franklin County Farmers' Artificial Breeders association announced today that on April 10 the organization would start activities in the county. The inseminator will be John Quincy Adams, Marion.

It had been expected to start operation April 1 but because of lack of equipment the date was postponed.

A total of 125 farmers have made application for the service and the number of cattle is 1655.

Production of pie cherries is increasing each year in Pennsylvania. In 1945 the state ranked 5th in production and 4th in value of sour cherries, the State Department of Agriculture reports.

All cattle on Pennsylvania farms on January 1, 1946, totaled 1,623,000 and were valued at more than \$171,000,000, according to the State Department of Agriculture.

er; they required 60 pounds less feed for 100 pounds of gain, and returned \$13 more per head above cost.

A comparison of the methods of feeding these cattle shows that the ones using a self-feeder made .05 pound more gain per day than those hand fed. But, they required 43 pounds more feed per 100 pounds of gain in weight, and returned \$3.40 less to their owners above cost.

In announcing the results of their study, the Lancaster county agents expressed the belief the findings would be of general interest, particularly to 4-H Baby Beef club members.



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## FEED SCARCE, EGGS DROPPING

Pennsylvania poultrymen, and those farm housewives who count on egg money for a rainy day, are getting deeper and deeper into difficulties with the unusual feed and price situation in that field the state Department of Agriculture reported today.

Poultry feed is scarcer and the price higher than at any time during the war, observers said. Egg prices are dropping, and in some western Pennsylvania areas are so low that the government is reported to be buying shell eggs for drying and freezing at the support price of 29 cents a dozen, it was said.

A special federal-state mid-March survey of the Pennsylvania hatchery industry revealed that cancellations of previous orders for baby chicks just about balanced orders then on

hand. Most of the hatcheries have enough business booked to warrant operating to the middle of May and many are advocating that the government "drastically curtail operations after June 1."

The situation is such that flock reductions will continue and egg production will drop next fall due to the reduced numbers of early hatched pullets, observers explained.

Meanwhile, plenty of eggs are available to consumers at the most favorable prices in two years, the department said. Retail prices should continue downward for the next week or two, starting upward about a week before Easter, if trends of recent years are to hold true this year it was said.

Celery in 1945 brought the greatest gross income per acre to Pennsylvania commercial growers of market vegetables, \$1,134. Sweet corn was lowest with a return of \$143 per acre.

According to the 1945 U. S. Agricultural Census, Lancaster leads all other Pennsylvania counties in the number of farms—8,997. It also leads in farm acreage, 510,461 acres.

Next to tame hay, corn is the most extensively grown crop on Pennsylvania farms, the State Department of Agriculture says. Hay

fields this year will total 2,233,000 acres, corn, 1,378,000 acres.

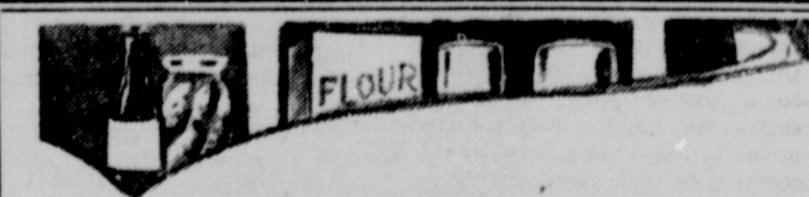
Shortage of labor and farm machinery forced commercial potato growers of Pennsylvania to plan for an acreage 10 per cent less this year than in 1945.



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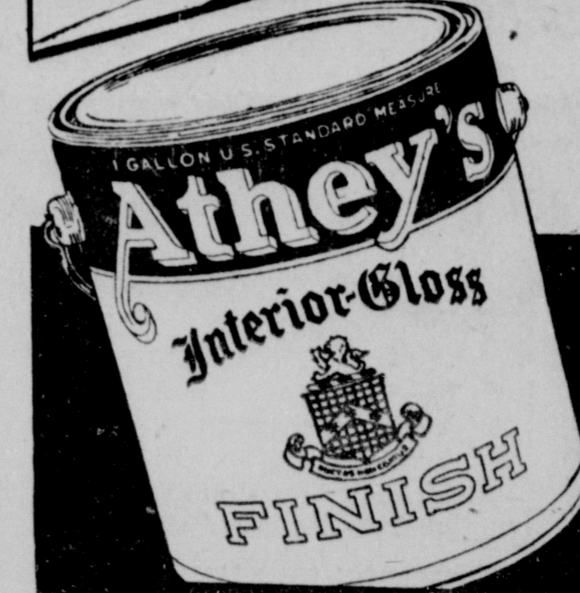
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# Interesting News Of Upper Adams Countians And Their Enterprises

## CLEAN PLOWING IMPORTANT FOR CHECKING BORER

It's clean plowing that seals the corn-borer's tomb. At the University of Illinois, 98 per cent of live borers were destroyed when crop refuse was turned under with the aid of coulters, jointers, and wire or trash shields, according to a recent article in Successful Farming magazine.

Today the purpose of the coulters is essentially the same as it was when it was used on the old sod-busting plow. It also cuts stalks and stubble to a point where they can be easily covered. The larger the coulters, the more effective the job when plowing in corn-borer conditions; small coulters push rather than cut the trash. The new notched coulters provide increased traction when plowing under tough, wet corn. Coulters should be set to cut one-half the depth of plowing and one inch wider than the land-side. An adjustable coulters clamp means that the coulters should be set one to three inches back of the point of the plow.

The jointer, which cuts a small, preliminary furrow just previous to the main furrow slice, when rigged to a tractor plow, throws trash, stalks, and stubble into the bottom of the furrow with a twist. These are covered by the main furrow slice.

### Other Factors

Wires, 10 and 12 feet long, of No. 9 strength, are recommended for plowing under standing corn-stalks or corn that has been hogged down. Such wires hold stalks down under tension to the bottom of the furrow until they are covered completely.

Moldboard extensions are a somewhat modern innovation to extend the length of moldboard on the tractor plow. They give the furrow slice an extra kick to lay it over completely, they eliminate the open-faced furrows and protruding stalks and stubble that provide avenues of escape for borers that may have been plowed under. In heavy corn-belt soils or where a slow plowing speed is necessary, moldboard extensions perform a vital service to borer control.

Clean plowing is not the only factor. Depth and season of burial influence mortality. Late planting and well-adapted hybrids will also aid in borer control.

## FEAR CORN BORER TOLL THIS YEAR

Normal development of the European corn borer is reported by agents of the Bureau of Plant Industry, Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture. Field examinations reveal that in many areas the borer in its pupa stage came through the winter months in such numbers as to indicate that the 1946 infestation and damage may be as serious as in 1945.

In Adams county the borer has been increasing each year, with this year probably producing the greatest infestation so far.

Only about 3 weeks remain for farmers and home gardeners to burn or plow under all remaining corn stalks and stubble to prevent the pest from spreading, according to Dr. Thomas L. Guyton, Director of the Bureau. Borer moths will begin to fly in southeastern counties—where infestation is heaviest about May 1, he declared.

Bureau agents report finding evidence of woodpeckers puncturing dry corn stalks and devouring the borers, thereby reducing the highly destructive menace to the state corn crop. Some observers report that crows also are feeding on borers in the worm and pupa stages.

The Pennsylvania State Farm Show building at Harrisburg, largest of its kind in the world under one roof, was dedicated January 19, 1931. The original cost was \$1,440,000.

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## Arendtsville Vet Plows 37 Gardens

Ray Flickinger of Arendtsville is convinced that plowing is his vocation and avocation.

The returned veteran said today he has 37 gardens to plow so far with his team and probably will have plowed even more than that when the season is over. He did the same kind of plowing work before going into the army four years ago.

In the army he served in the U. S., Sicily and Italy. "and do you know what I did? Most of the time I drove a ten-wheeled truck fixed with cleats to get through the mud. Well that truck plowed up the ground even faster than a horse and plow," Flickinger was wounded in Italy.

## May Use Planes For Hormone Spray

The airplane may enter the fruit picture this fall to "paste" the apples on the tree until they are ready to be picked.

Several fruit growers are thinking of using airplanes to place a hormone spray on the trees this fall to hold the apples on the branches until they are picked, and to allow the apples to reach full size and color. Experiments in the use of hormone sprays placed by utilizing planes in other sections of the country were successful last year, they said.

## Fairfield Woman Gets Tokyo Call

Mrs. William C. Schultz, Fairfield, received a pleasant surprise Monday morning at 2 o'clock.

The phone rang, awakening her. When she answered it was her husband, Sgt. W. C. Schultz, calling from Tokyo. Sergeant Schultz, stationed in Yokohama, Japan, since October 7, had gone to Tokyo and had attempted to get the call through Sunday night. The call finally reached half-way around the world to Fairfield Monday morning.

### TO ENLARGE OFFICE

Dr. J. L. Boyer is planning construction of an addition to his office at Arendtsville. It was learned today. The foundation for the addition was completed Tuesday by a mechanical shovel in less than an hour.

## FARM CALENDAR

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**14-OUNCE EGG**—Mrs. William Burnham of Albany, N. Y., holds a 14-ounce egg, about seven times normal weight. "Millie," the hen responsible for it. The egg measures five inches in length and nine inches around.

stock and may be the only young trees available at this date in view of the shortage in most nurseries, Frank T. Murphy, extension forester of the Pennsylvania State college, says.

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## Experiment Of Material For Leaf Spot Control

2-Heptadecyl Glycolaldehyde may prove the answer to leaf spot control in Adams county, according to more optimistic growers.

Those who have followed experiments during the past several years of the "341" in Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Virginia report glowingly that the trees on which it was used produced 20 per cent larger crops than those sprayed with Bordeaux and 11 per cent larger than those sprayed with lime sulfur. Leaf spot control with "341" was practically perfect except during the long wet season in the county orchards last year. But even at that, they point out, the disease was held to a minimum and trees held out against it until October—which was about three months better than they did with other sprays.

This year the growers plan, working under direction of the Arendtsville laboratory and the Adams County Agriculture Extension Association, to experiment on the largest scale so far to determine whether or not the new chemical is as marvelous as has been claimed and to determine some type of spray schedule that will give them all the benefits of "341" without the disadvantages.

### Ton for Experimentation

One ton of the material has been donated to the county for its use in experiments and all 32 barrels of the chemical have already been distributed. Among the growers who are

planning to conduct experiments with "341" are Robert C. Lott, William M. Lott, Glenn Slaybaugh, Harvey Raffensperger, Ralph Tyson.

The plan calls for each grower taking part in the test to set aside a block within his orchard in which "341" will be used in three sprays and copper in two sprays, while the remainder of the orchard will be sprayed with other materials. Dr. Fred Lewis also is planning to use the "341" in a number of combinations of sprays in other experiments in the county.

The growers hope by the experiments to find some way to eliminate the disadvantages of the "341" which include the fact that where "341" is used exclusively the fruit does not color as well as with other sprays and the "341" does not give as effective results against minor fruit rotting as some other sprays. By combining the "341" with other materials in the spray schedule the experimenters hope to find a combination that will give all advantages and none of the disadvantages.

Because of the nature of the experiment the ton of "341" was presented to the county free of charge by the Carbide and Chemical Corporation of Charleston, West Virginia, Dr. Fred Lewis said today. The cost for the 2,000 pounds of the chemical which is made at present only on an experimental scale is approximately \$2,200. If the Adams county experiments this season

## SAYS NEW FLOUR OK FOR BAKING

The new 80 per cent extraction flour is on the market and Adams county homemakers are soon to get their first bag of it. The new flour makes satisfactory baked products, according to Miss Mildred Adams, home economics extension representative, and there is no need for women to become alarmed or discouraged because the loaves of bread are small.

Baked products will not have the volume or as fine a texture as those made from standard high-grade flours homemakers are ac-

prove successful it was believed here the material will be produced commercially which would probably lower the cost to within the price range of other spray materials, Doctor Lewis stated.

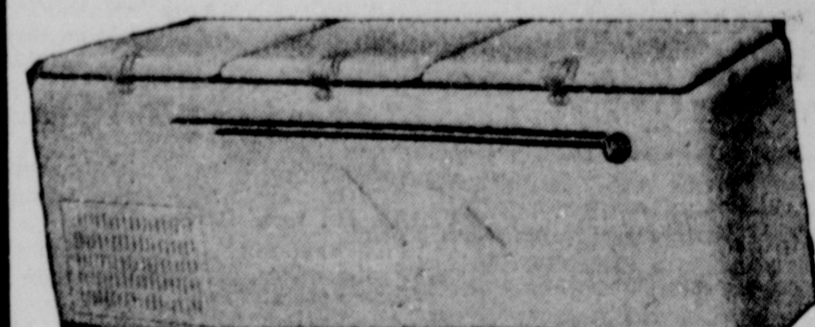
customed to. Bread is a creamy color, is light but slightly more compact than bread made with regular white flour. Milling companies advise using the simpler, plainer recipes for cakes and not attempt making angel food cake or sponge cake.

Extension nutritionists of the Pennsylvania State College have used the new flour in standard recipes for bread, pastry, plain cake, and cookies with satisfactory results. Some millers are enclosing with each bag of their flour recipes that have been worked out specially for their products.

Many millers will enrich the 80 per cent flour according to the present enrichment program. This will bring the food value of the new flour up to and slightly above the standard enriched white flour.

On a tonnage basis, total crop production on Pennsylvania farms in 1944 was 7 per cent larger than in 1943, and 1945 production was 2 per cent less than 1944.

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## BLACK MARKET IN LONDON IS WELL STOCKED

By L. M. HANNA

London (AP)—It's not what you know, but whom you know that counts in London's black market.

In the backwater streets, in snug "pubs" and other haunts, you can pick up practically anything you want if you swallow your scruples and are prepared to dig deeply enough into your pockets. The same goes for food and housing.

The other Sunday, for instance, following certain directions, I took the subway to a famous, if rather unsavory, district of London—not far from the heart of the city. And what I saw there was almost unbelievable.

Pull-fashioned silk stockings, tulle, curtain material, sheets, socks, shoes—all without coupons, none of them second-hand and all shamelessly expensive.

Real, pre-war standard fountain pens, openly flaunting the government's instructions for only "utility" models; Swiss watches with jeweled movements, luminous dials, chromium plate—all at luxury prices, in a near-slum locality.

One merchant ostensibly was an optician, but I dropped into his shop and mentioned cameras.

After a cautious look around, the shopkeeper delved under the counter and almost reverently displayed two top-notch German makes—a Leica and Seiss-Ikon. Wonderful pieces of work, undoubtedly, but the price—Whew!

### "Know The Ropes"

Where do these dealers get these (and many more) articles? In this way of business, it is definitely "not cricket" to enquire into origins.

Food, of course, is strictly rationed, but just the same, there is a certain little cafe where one may drop in and, if one is well enough known, order delicious omelettes, veal, tongue, and certain other delights to the gourmet—all served in a secluded corner, well away from prying eyes, watering mouths, and envious hearts.

About housing: That, in this land of general shortages, is probably the greatest bug-bear. But even here, you can succeed, if you "know the ropes" and have money to burn.

For six months I've been hunting for an unfurnished house or apartment—"flats," as they're known here. Soon after coming to London, I made it my business to get to know house-agents on the social plane, for it's quite hopeless just dropping in on them in the course of business.

### Still Looking

Bit by bit, I did get to know one or two of them in a sort of friendly way. Charming fellows, some of them, but when it comes to business—well, they're not exactly philanthropists. And you can't altogether blame them.

As a great favor, one did get me the offer of part of a house, unfurnished. The building had been blitzed and was undergoing repairs, which would take three months to complete. If I was prepared to hand out 20 dollars a week, install my own stove, refrigerator, and general kitchen fittings at my own expense, sign for a three-year's tenancy, undertake not to sub-let, and when leaving, agree to have the premises redecorated to the value of 300 dollars: Why, then, the place was mine! I'm still looking for a house.

## Property Transfers

Louise Conti, Easton, sold to Bernard R. and Genevieve M. Riley, Gettysburg, a property at 120 Hanover Street.

Louise Conti, Easton, sold to Paul C. and Anna M. Cole, Gettysburg, a property at 118 Hanover Street.

William E. and Mary C. Brinton, Latimore township, sold to John H. and Amy K. Herman, New Oxford R. 2, a tract in Latimore township.

Bernice Staley and Marion Elizabeth and Grover W. Ridler, Gettysburg, sold to Paul Strausbaugh, Gettysburg, 13 tracts of 307 1/2 acres in Hamilton township.

Paul and Billie Strausbaugh, Bernice Staley, and Marion E. and Grover W. Ridler, sold to Dwight L. Strausbaugh, Hamilton township, 138 acres in that township.

## Abbottstown

Abbottstown.—Mrs. George Alwine is a patient at the Hanover hospital. David Meckley was admitted Friday and underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Earl Alwine, who had been ill, suffered a relapse and is again confined to bed.

Mrs. Artie Gulden is a patient at the Hanover hospital where her condition is reported as serious.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Butt visited their son, Pvt. Earl Butt, at Ft. George Meade, Sunday.

Preparatory services will be held Friday night in Emmanuel Reformed church. On Sunday Holy Communion will be held. The Rev. Ernest Brindle, supply pastor of Biglerville, will conduct the services.

In the latter half of the 16th century, the Dutch astronomer Huygens and the Danish astronomer, Roemer, built a planetarium to represent the solar system.

Nearly \$500,000,000 in property damage has resulted from earthquakes in the United States.

## East Berlin

East Berlin—Holtzschwamm Sunday school has reserved rights for a refreshment stand at the public sale of household goods and farming effects of John Phillips, Thomasville R. D., on Friday, April 19.

Satisfactory prices were realized at the recent public sale of stock and farming implements of William E. Brown, R. 1, who sold his place to his grandson, Earl E. Cleaver, and will abandon farming because of his health.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McSherry and children, Larry and Joyce, have moved from the Chapman property to the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Hiram H. Thomas, now of R. 1. The former McSherry home has been purchased and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. C. Raymond Schaeffer, whose former home has been taken by Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hoffman and daughter, Judy, formerly of New Oxford R. D.

Miss Ethel B. Resser has returned after a trip to Philadelphia where she, with Mrs. Mildred H. Eck and daughter, Barbara, accompanied to her home Mrs. Eck's aunt, Miss Clara Wolf. Miss Resser also visited her cousin, Mrs. Elenora Baker, Maple Shade, N. J., and was a guest at the York home of the Ecks, former local residents.

Abraham L. Cleaver, R. 1, has returned home after extensive treatment at the Philadelphia Naval hospital for a leg fracture. Mr. Forsythe, a veteran of World War I, was host to Mr. Cleaver for a large part of the past winter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Altland moved Saturday from the Paul Anthony property at the square to the house they bought in January from the former occupant, Mrs. Benjamin T. Renoll. The Altlands' son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stambaugh, will continue to reside with them. The former Altland place will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Emory Sell, Jr., and children, Richard and Lucy, who have resided with Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Myers at the People's State bank apartment since moving from R. 2 more than a month ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Archer Hess, R. 2, have purchased the farm near town which has been the property of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Shetter for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. William D. Gibbs, Sr., R. 1, recently entertained at dinner in honor of Mrs. Gibbs' father, George D. Wagner, who resides with them and who observed his 93rd birthday. Mr. Wagner remains in excellent health. Children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren were present at the Gibbs' home included Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Wagner, Oberlin; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Emig, the Misses Dorothy and Betty Walker, and Donald Armstrong, all of York; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gibbs and daughter, Shirley, and Lester L. Gibbs.

Miss Sylvia M. Ebersole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Ebersole, R. 1, a senior at Shippensburg State Teachers' college, was among student teachers at the college's Laboratory School who directed the young pupils in a play, "The Market Basket," which was given as a part of a program for their parents.

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## Pearl Harbor Probe Hearings Reopened

Washington, April 10 (AP)—Adm. Harold R. Stark said Tuesday he would have acted immediately if he had known that President Roosevelt felt a Japanese diplomatic message received the night of December 6, 1941, meant war.

If there was a war conference in the White House that night—the eve of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor—Stark told a Senate-House inquiry committee that he knew nothing about it.

Stark, former chief of naval operations, was the first witness as the committee resumed hearings it recessed about a month ago.

Before he began testifying, Seth Richardson, committee counsel, put into the record several documents. These indicated that Winston Churchill pressed Mr. Roosevelt as early as February, 1941, to "instill in Japan anxiety" that a move toward Singapore would mean war with the United States.

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## SHROYER SAYS GOP POLITICIANS MENACE FUNDS

Scranton, Pa., April 10 (AP)—John U. Shroyer, campaigning for the GOP gubernatorial nomination, says Pennsylvania's Republican organization "has once again" obtained control of the state highways department.

Shroyer, backed by the "new guard" group for the candidacy, asserted last night that the \$75,000,000 highway surplus "is no longer safe" since his dismissal as highways secretary. Shroyer was fired by Governor Martin for disloyalty to the administration.

The Shamokin dress manufacturer told a campaign rally that his dismissal "means that the Taylor machine has once again gotten its sticky fingers on the department of your state government that takes in more money and spends more money than any other."

### Says Politics First

"It means," Shroyer added, "that your dollars, which were to have been spent for the finest road system in the United States, are now being handled by men whose first interest is politics and whose last interest is providing useful highways."

Shroyer reiterated charges that he sought to dismiss Bernard J. Harding, Scranton district engineer "because the quality of work received from his district convinced me that he was not competent to do his job, and not smart enough to surround himself with men who were." Shroyer's successor, Ray F. Smock, is investigating the case.

Harding, meantime, said here last night that Shroyer sought to fire him because he would not support the former highways secretary for the gubernatorial nomination.

"When he learned he could not obtain my support in his political aspirations his policy of criticism was launched in full strength," Harding said in a prepared statement. "Shroyer criticized the character and abilities of myself and my lieutenant in the highways department, but he conveniently forgets that many of the men with the department were there long before myself or Shroyer."

### "Macing" Charged

Shroyer told the rally "he had more than circumstantial evidence" that highway employees in the Scranton district "are subject to ruthless macing" and are asked to make political contributions. He insisted that he never asked any person in the highways department to support his candidacy.

"I would like to point out that I am the only Republican candidate running for statewide office, who voluntarily asked for a leave of absence from his job in order to conduct a political campaign. The others are all still there, campaigning on state funds, in state cars, on state time."

Col. J. Calvin Frank, new guard candidate for secretary of internal affairs, also addressed the rally. He urged better recreational facilities for veterans.

### GET PAY BOOSTS

Johnstown, Pa., April 10 (AP)—Some 800 employees of the Conemaugh and Black Lick railroad, owned by the Bethlehem Steel corporation, have been granted a 16 cents an hour pay boost, retroactive to January 1, the railroad announced last night. The workers had filed intent to strike April 7 but the work stoppage was delayed pending negotiations begun last Friday.

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## Makes Appeal



General of the Army Douglas MacArthur (above), addresses the opening meeting of the Allied Control Council for Japan in Tokyo. He made a dramatic appeal for all nations to "abolish war as a sovereign right." (AP Wirephoto from Army Signal Corps Radiophoto).

## Plans To Finance Strike Are Made

Camden, N. J., April 10 (AP)—CIO shipbuilding workers union leaders readied plans today for financing a threatened strike of 75,000 employees in 18 of the nation's shipyards.

John J. Grogan, international vice president of the Industrial Union of Marine and Shipbuilding workers of America, said the general executive board had approved assessment of 175,000 CIO members in 46 shipyards to build up a strike fund.

The union filed 30-day notice last Monday under the Smith-Connally act for a strike because, it said, the yards declined to pay an 18-cent-an-hour wage increase approved last February 18 by the national ship-building wage conference. Management of 46 other yards accepted the boost.

Ten of the 18 yards, Grogan said, are subsidiaries of the Bethlehem Steel Corp., located in New York, Boston, Baltimore and Los Angeles.

Grogan said union leaders at a meeting yesterday, also made plans for picketing.

Spokesmen for the companies had no immediate comment.

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### Antiques

Two plank bottom rockers; Boston rocker; three ladder back rockers; Windsor type rocker; swag back rocker; round table; three beds; three stands; chest of drawers; four plank bottom chairs; six strings of sleigh bells; sleigh; book-case; three wash stands; three mirrors; picture frames; single spool bed re-finished, with spring; sink; two School Master desks; hanging lamp; other lamps; four coffee mills; wardrobe; marble-top stand; some small articles not mentioned.

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## SEEK WACS FOR REENLISTMENT

Overseas service is now being offered to former enlisted personnel of the Women's Army Corps, the War Department has announced. Openings are available in the European Theater for 600 women. Those who are accepted will be given the grade which they held at the time of discharge. All applications for re-entry must be filed in local U. S. Army Recruiting Stations by midnight April 30.

The basis for the WAC recruiting program now being conducted is the current need for skilled personnel.

WAC stenographers, clerk typists, general clerks, telephone switch-board operators and telegraph operators comprise the specialists needed now in the European theater. Only Wacs with these specialty numbers will be eligible for overseas duty due to the present critical shortage of such specialists. Nos. 055, 213, 237, 405 and 650.

In addition to the 600 needed in Europe, there is an urgent need for skilled Wacs in personnel centers, hospitals, and headquarters installations in this country. Hospital, x-ray and laboratory technicians, code and cryptography and other communications technicians are specially in demand as well as clerk-typists and stenographers. Former enlisted women may re-enter the WAC for these duties with the rank at which they were discharged. No closing date has yet been announced for such applications.

Two types of enlistment are available to Wacs who re-enter the service. They may enter for the dura-

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## Barnak Convicted In Bowman Killing

Allentown, Pa., April 10 (AP)—Steelworker John Barnak was convicted of second degree murder today for the slaying of Benjamin C. Bowman, Jr., former army flier shot to death with Barnak's wife last December 20.

The verdict was reported by a jury of six men and six women some 17 hours after it started deliberations. Sentencing was delayed pending action on a motion for new trial.

Bowman was a discharged army air forces lieutenant and a freshman at Lehigh university. Testimony disclosed he had met Mrs. Barnak only two hours before both were found shot to death on the front steps of the home of the woman's parents.

Barnak denies he killed Bowman

tion plus six months or they may sign up until September 30 of this year as it is expected the acute need for skilled personnel will continue through the summer months. Interested persons should apply at the Army Recruiting office in the postoffice building in Hanover.

## EFFECTIVE KICK

Chicago, (AP)—The horn in an automobile parked a half block from the Hyde Park police station, blew and blew and tempers of policemen flew as they exhausted every effort to halt the piercing blasts.

For nearly two hours Sergeant

or his wife. He testified he was home in bed, asleep, at the time of the shooting—set by court testimony at 11:50 p. m. last December 20. Police arrested the steelworker a half hour later in his home. District Attorney Theodore Gardner demanded the death penalty.

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4:00-Stage Wife  
4:15-Stella Dallas  
4:30-Lorenzo Jones  
4:45-Widder Brown  
5:00-Girl Marries  
5:15-Portia  
5:30-Plain Bill  
5:45-Front Page  
6:00-News, L. Van  
6:15-Serenade  
6:30-Sports  
6:45-Thomas Club  
7:00-Supper Club  
7:15-Vandervoort  
7:30-Mills Bros.  
7:45-Kaltenborn  
8:00-Norths  
8:30-Hildegarde  
9:00-Eddie Cantor  
9:30-Mr. D. A.  
10:00-Kay Kyser  
11:00-News  
11:15-R. Harkness  
11:30-Dance orch.

710k-WOR-422M

4:00-Matinee  
4:30-Dr. Eddy  
4:45-Uncle Don  
5:15-Superman  
5:30-Sketch  
5:45-Tom Mix  
6:00-Easy Aces  
6:15-Bob Elson  
6:30-News  
6:45-Sports  
7:00-News  
7:15-Answer Man  
7:30-Talk  
7:45-Sports  
8:00-Top This  
8:30-Bert Lahr  
9:00-News  
9:15-Real Life  
9:30-Spot Band  
10:00-Tiny Tuffner  
10:30-Symphonette  
11:00-News  
11:30-McKinley orch.

770k-WJZ-685M

4:00-Borch Show  
4:15-Music  
4:45-Hop Harrigan  
5:00-Terry  
5:15-Dick Tracy  
5:30-J. Armstrong  
5:45-Jed  
6:00-News  
6:15-Duo  
6:30-News  
6:45-H. Morgan  
7:00-News  
7:15-R. Swing  
7:30-Jane Hanger  
8:00-Lum. Abner  
8:15-News  
8:30-Fishing  
9:00-Jones and I  
9:30-S. Kaye  
10:00-Norman Arch.  
10:30-Betty Buddy  
10:45-Melody  
11:00-News  
11:15-Sports  
11:30-Dance orch.

880k-WABC-675M

4:00-House Party  
4:30-Sing Along  
5:00-Science  
5:15-Tavern  
5:30-Sketch  
5:45-Tom Mix  
6:00-Easy Aces  
6:15-Waitin'  
6:30-News  
6:45-MacRae  
7:00-Lanny Ross  
7:15-Smith Show  
7:30-Ellery Queen  
8:00-Carson Show  
8:30-J. Herscholt  
9:00-S. Sinatra  
9:30-Bob Crosby  
10:00-Music  
10:30-Kane orch.  
11:00-News  
11:15-Word  
11:30-Invitation

**THURSDAY**  
880k-WABC-675M

8:00 a.m.-News  
8:15-Cook  
8:30-Shopping  
8:45-M. Arlen  
9:00-News  
9:15-A. Godfrey  
10:00-Valiant Lady  
10:15-World Light  
10:30-E. Winter  
10:45-Bachelor's  
11:00-Amanda  
11:15-2nd Husband  
11:30-Remenick  
11:45-Aunt Jenny  
12:00-Kate Smith  
12:15-Big Sister  
12:30-Helen Trent  
12:45-Our Gal  
1:00-Life Can Be  
1:15-Ma Perkins  
1:30-Dr. Malone  
1:45-Rd. of Life  
2:00-Mrs. Burton  
2:15-P. Mason  
2:30-Rosemary  
2:45-Tens. Tim  
3:00-Sketch  
3:30-Cinderella  
4:00-House Party  
4:30-Sing Along  
5:00-Living World  
5:30-Tavern  
5:45-Sparrow  
6:00-News  
6:15-Songs  
6:30-G. MacRae  
6:45-News  
7:00-Lanny Ross  
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7:30-Mr. Keen  
8:00-Suspense  
8:30-F.L.I.  
9:00-Kostelentz  
9:30-Hobby Lobby

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8:00 a.m.-Fitzg'ida  
8:30-Nan Craig  
9:00-Bk'fast Club  
9:30-True Story  
10:00-Hymns  
10:15-Listening  
11:00-Bk'fast  
11:15-Ted Malone  
11:30-Glenmour  
12:30-News  
12:45-Charm School  
1:00-News  
1:15-A. Kitchell  
1:30-Galen Drake  
2:00-News  
2:15-F. Barnes  
2:30-Bride, Groom  
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**Williams Grove Park  
And Speedway Opens  
Sunday, April 14th**

Williams Grove Park and Speedway will open Sunday, April 14th — with many new improvements in the popular Amusement Park, including new rides and equipment. The usual program of Free Vaudeville in the Mt. Vernon Theatre every Sunday afternoon will be followed again this year with Movies and Vaudeville every Sunday night. The Williams Grove Park Band will make its first appearance at the Park on the opening date Sunday, April 14th — also will take part in the opening program at the Speedway, when the first AAA Sanctioned Big Car Auto Race since Pearl Harbor will be run. . . . Many of the nation's leading drivers, including several who have signed to drive at the famous Indianapolis Speedway on May 30th, will "vie" for "gold and glory" — on Sunday, April 14th, on the Williams Grove Speedway — The "Ascot of the East." — Adv.

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## EIGHT PERISH IN BOSTON BLAZE; 5 OTHERS HURT

Boston, April 10 (AP)—Eight persons, including a mother, father and three small children, perished and five others were injured today in a early-morning fire that swept a four-story brick Back Bay apartment house and brought swift investigation by fire and police officials.

The investigation included two other fires which started within a ten-block radius while firemen were battling the flames in the apartments in Belvedere street, where the deaths occurred.

The police listed the dead as: Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Wassell and their children, Suzanne, 5; Linda, 3, and Peter, 2, Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon LaPetite and Patrolman Robert Mahar, 34.

**Family Huddled Together**  
Suzanne Mahoney, 23, was injured critically: Physicians said Mahar, who was in the area when the fire started, died from severe burns and a possible leg fracture.

The bodies of three members of the Wassell family were huddled near a window in their upper floor apartment. The others were sprawled in other parts of their home.

Thirty-three other tenants fled from the building in which the fire was burning fiercely when the first fire apparatus arrived. Other families left their homes in an adjacent building, but a fire-wall prevented spread of the blaze.

**New Alarm Sounded**  
The fire department, which sent members of its arson squad into action, listed the damage at \$10,000.

While fire apparatus and ambulances crowded into the area around the Belvedere street fire, alarms summoned firemen to fight a blaze in an unoccupied building on Huntington avenue, near Copley Square, and to another building in Irvington street near St. Botolph.

Police reported that Mahar and Miss Mahoney leaped from the Belvedere street building when trapped by the spreading fire.

## LITTLESTOWN'S

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Foundry company. The boys had two cooked meals, one Saturday evening and the other Sunday morning. Saturday and Sunday lunches were served cold, the boys carrying the food and eating enroute. They covered 26 miles in the two days.

The assistant scoutmaster stated that two of the smallest and youngest boys in the group who were leading the procession in company with himself set such a pace it was all he could do to keep up with them. During the hike the boys rested every hour. With one more hike the boys will have completed the distance from the Susquehanna to the Potomac. Accompany the boys were Scoutmaster Alton Bowers, Assistant Scoutmaster Wilbur E. Mackley, and Luther D. Snyder and Edgar A. Wolfe, members of the troop committee.

The Rotary club had one visitor, J. E. Coleman, Rochester, Pa. The meeting was in charge of the club service committee, consisting of Harrison Snyder, chairman, Thomas C. McSherry, Edward T. Richardson, C. I. Crouse, Roy D. Knouse, Luther W. Ritter and Arthur E. Bair.

**NEWS BRIEFS**  
The Ladies' Aid society of Redeemer's Reformed church met Tuesday evening in the social hall of the church.

The Mite society of St. Paul's Lutheran church met Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. William H. Dixon.

The Lions club will sponsor an appearance of the 101 Ranch Boys in the high school auditorium this evening.

Service preparatory to Holy Communion will be held in Christ Reformed church Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. John C. Brumbach is pastor.

Raymond Wiles and brother, Jesse E. Wiles, Frederick, spent the weekend with the latter's daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Bernard W. Shadle, and daughter, Sandra.

Rev. Dr. J. M. Myers, pastor of Grace Lutheran church, 20 Taversers, has announced service for Thursday evening at 7:45 o'clock. Friday evening at 7:45 o'clock, preparatory service will be held. Palm Sunday morning at 10 o'clock Communion will be administered.

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## Things Of The Soil

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The Gettysburg Times Agricultural Editor

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**Facts About Growing Eggplants**  
The eggplant is a botanical relative of the potato, tomato, pepper, horseradish and other plants of the so-called night-shade family. Native to southern Asia, perhaps India, from where it was brought to Europe by early invaders, more than nine centuries ago, it prefers a rather high temperature, plenty of soil moisture and a growing season of about 140 days from date of sowing seed until fruits reach edible size. This means that seed sown the second week of April produce eggplants for table use around the first week in September.

Home gardeners usually find it advisable to buy well rooted, bushy plants from a commercial source rather than try to grow plants at home. Transplanting should be done in late May after the soil is warm and all danger of frost and cold spells is past. If a few extra early plants are set out sooner, they should be protected carefully when low temperatures threaten.

Seedlings are somewhat temperamental. Seed should be sown under glass at least eight weeks in advance of transplanting time. As soon as true leaves appear, the plants should be moved to individual five or six-inch clay pots or comparable bands and kept thriving in a sunny cold-frame. Care during the seedling stage must be directed toward avoiding spindly, woody plants. Both extremes—too rapid and halted growth, should be avoided.

The garden soil should be deeply mellow and abundantly supplied with moisture-holding organic matter. Few more suitable roles can be found for well composted stable manure, turned under deeply and worked through the rooting stratum. This may be supplemented by a complete fertilizer applied at rates of 1,200 to 2,000 pounds per acre and ranging from near a 5-3-6 to a 7-10-8 strength.

Eggplants should not be grown on soils where tomatoes, potatoes or peppers have grown in the last four years nor follow themselves more often than once in four or five years. All refuse should be gathered and burned before winter. These two sanitation measures reduce disease dangers, especially eggplant wilt and fruit rot.

Three to four feet each direction is a good spacing distance, although plants may be somewhat closer in single rows.

Fruit rot may not only attack the growing fruits, but in many cases it causes the stems to decay near the ground and produces large spots on the leaves. It is carried from year to year on the seed and in the soil. If plants are purchased from a commercial source, growers should seek a guarantee that seed was gathered from disease-free plants and disinfected before planting. Where plants are grown at home the same precautions should be invoked. Spraying the plants every 10 days before the blooming stage with 4-6-50 Bordeaux mixture helps prevent this rot.

Eggplant wilt, a fungus disease, occurs wherever this vegetable is grown. It must be prevented by long rotations and by avoiding soils where any related crops have grown in the last three to five years.

Colorado beetles feeding on eggplants are controlled by adding calcium arsenate (1 ounce to 2 gallons) to one or more of the recommended Bordeaux mixture applications.

Tomato hornworms must be hand-picked.

Plant lice are easily exterminated by a timely application of nicotine sulphate in soapy water.

**When Snails and Slugs Arrive**  
Snails and slugs are not difficult to control when a few sound preventive measures are employed in early spring and these are followed by direct combat when the pests invade flower beds vegetable gardens and other parts of the home grounds. First emphasis, of course, should be placed on prevention.

From a standpoint of practical control, snails and slugs may be considered jointly as one group of enemies; for more accurate classification they should be divided into two large groups of animals. The gardener may treat the slug as a snail without a protective shell. There are thirty-two species of slugs in the United States and several hundred species of snails. Slugs may measure from a quarter of an inch in length to as much as 10 inches, depending on the species and age of the individual, and they range from a pale yellow to dark gray and black, usually with spots or mottled coloring. Snails are usually some shade of gray, with shells varying from almost white to dark brown and dark gray, with many of mottlings and stripes.

Both snails and slugs are nocturnal in their feeding habits often gnawing bits from leaves of ornamental and vegetable plants, damaging maturing celery stalks and leaving unsightly and unsanitary trails of slime wherever they move. They may invade porches, basements, cellars and wells. They often render cisterns unusable and in some cases ascend trees and damage foliage.

The first major step in control is to clean up their breeding nooks in early spring and thereby prevent their arrival. These consist mainly of damp areas where old scraps of lumber are decaying, piles of stones or decomposing vegetation, damp nooks beneath porches or foundations, careless deposits of rubbish in basements and cellars. All such dangerous debris should be cleaned away and fresh air and sunlight admitted wherever possible to render propagating places immune to their breeding and congregation.

Small beds of flowers or vegetables may be protected from actual invasion of snails and slugs by strewing a heavy band of air-slaked (builders') lime around the area or across the animals' path. When the lime comes in contact with the creature's body death is caused by excessive secretion to overcome the irritation.

Special plants may be rendered distasteful to these pests by keeping the foliage coated with Bordeaux mixture during the period of probable attack.

Small beds may be protected by hunting snails and slugs at night by use of a flashlight or lantern and killing them.

There are special snail and slug baits on the market, containing metaldehyde. These should be used with care to avoid poisoning birds, pets and beneficial insects. The same precaution is stressed in using baits composed of one part (by weight) of calcium arsenate in 16 parts dry wheat bran, the mixture moistened and sprinkled over invaded areas in the evening.

Early morning cultivation to cover remaining portions of such baits will eliminate danger to birds, poultry and pets.

The editor will be glad to answer all questions readers wish to ask in this common problem.

**NEW BUSINESS  
RUSH IN STATE**

Harrisburg, April 10 (AP)—A post-war rush to go into business in Pennsylvania is resulting in establishment of scores of new partnerships and corporations daily.

The staff of the Corporation Bureau in the State Department is pressed to keep up with the paper work of merely listing applications for charters and for registration of so-called "fictitious names" — the trade marks used by individuals or partners — an aide reported today.

It's not only the rush of returned veterans to set up as little businesses with "bugy Bee" restaurants and "Joe's Garages," but the creation of firms capitalized in six and seven figures, that has been noticeable since shortly after V-J Day.

The latest listing of charters issued through the Corporation Bureau shows more than 50 firms set up with \$100,000 or more in capital stock. And there are four or five smaller firms to every one in the six-figure class.

**Says "Streamliner"  
Era Past On Rails**

Buffalo, N. Y., April 10 (AP)—The "streamliner era" was all right 10 years ago "but now we have a bigger job—all good trains, not just one," says William White, president of the Delaware Lackawanna and Western Railroad.

Announcing a \$5,000,000 Lackawanna modernization program to be completed within two years, White said yesterday:

"We have got to get out of the so-called streamliner era in which one glamorous train is played up and filled up and the rest of the trains get nothing."

"We have to modernize all our passenger equipment. We're going to order enough equipment to take care of all our through passenger trains."

Nearly 10,000 pedestrians are killed in traffic accidents in the United States every year.

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penditures of the 1945-1946 year of \$131,562.15. Instructional service cost is increased in the tentative budget from \$97,453.27 in 1945-1946 to \$114,375, but the figure, according to Dr. Keefauver, includes only automatic salary increases, or incremental raises. Reserves are set up in the budget to care for the increase in the superintendent's and in the teachers' salaries.

Other budget items listed under proposed expenditures include: general control, \$8,230; auxiliary agencies and coordinate activities, \$3,980; operation of plant, \$12,515; maintenance of plant, \$3,300; fixed charges, \$4,740; debt service, \$4,000.

**Estimated Receipts**  
Estimated receipts are placed at \$166,140.15, compared with \$149,-

590.29 in 1944-1945 and \$151,767.90 in 1945-1946. They include: balance on hand \$15,675.75, which will be reduced to \$1,371.67 through deferred salaries to be paid of \$14,303.48; current tax, \$61,000; delinquent tax, \$1,500; state appropriation, \$62,640; tuition, \$24,824; other, \$500.

The budget sets up a reserve of \$700 in the general control fund and \$8,800 in the expense of instruction fund. Cost of medical inspector, nurse service and dental service and reserve is estimated at \$3,980. State retirement board charge is placed at \$3,800; fire insurance, \$700; compensation, \$240 and burglary, \$9. The \$4,000 included in the debt service is a payment to the sinking fund.

"In making calculations where variables and uncertainties exist, conservative figures were used, believing it better to underestimate receipts and overestimate expenditures," Dr. Keefauver said.

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